The Morning Star
Oldest Daily Newspaper in the State.
Largest circulation of any Wilmington Paper.

THE MORNING STAR.

Subscription Terms:
One Year by Mail.....$6.00
Six Months by Mail....$3.00
Three Months by Mail $1.50

VOL. LXXXIV—NO. 141. WILMINGTON, N. C., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1909. WHOLE NO. 13,091.

Library of Congress

REFUSE REYES' HELP

Mexican Government Caring For Sufferers Without Interference.

DIRECT SLAP AT GOVERNOR

Relief Work Made Necessary by the Recent Floods—Additional Reports of Devastation and Loss of Life.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Mexico City, Sept. 3.—Simultaneous with the arrival at Monterey on Wednesday night from Galeana of General Bernardo Reyes came the Federal announcement that General Mier, under directions from the Secretary of War, would proceed to Monterey on a special car to take charge of the relief work made necessary there by the recent flood. This is considered a direct slap at General Reyes by the Federal government, for Reyes is the Governor of the State of Nuevo Leon, of which Monterey is the capital.

The State governments are contributing liberally toward the relief fund and it is believed that $50,000 will be raised from these sources.

Reports received from points which have been cut off from communication since Saturday indicate that eight towns in Nuevo Leon either are wholly or partially destroyed. Among these are Mier Bravo, Camargo, Raynes, Galeana and Victoria. Some two dozen points are yet to be heard from and grave fears are felt that with the restoration of communication further destruction of life and loss of property will be chronicled.

Every life in Tula would have been lost had not many of the inhabitants been forewarned and fled to the hills.

The first estimates of a property loss of $30,000,000 and of 20,000 fatalities as a result of the floods may be under the mark. The highways over the northern end of the State have been destroyed and it may be weeks before the telegraph system is restored to its normal status.

PENNSYLVANIA TRAIN ROBBER.

Believed to be Man Now Being Pursued—Held Up Citizen.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Lewiston, Pa., Sept. 3.—A lone highwayman believed to be the man who robbed the Pennsylvania Railroad train near here several night ago, held up a prominent citizen and his family this afternoon on a public road not far from the place where the train robbery was committed and it is believed the capture of the bandit is a matter of a few hours. The man held up was Robert F. Little. Besides securing $10 and a watch, the robber took Mr. Little's hat. The hat worn by the man who robbed the train is in the possession of detectives and the fact that the highwayman who committed today's robbery wore no hat convinces the detectives that one man did both jobs.

RECEIVER FOR TALC CO.

Principal Proceedings in This State. Boston Man Named.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Boston, Mass., Sept. 3.—Henry N. Bates, of this city, was appointed ancillary received today of the American Talc Company on a bill filed by George W. Bennedict and others in the United States Circuit Court. The principal proceedings are in North Carolina. The company it is said, owes more than $10,000 and plans are under consideration for a re-organization.

OUTLINES.

During the week at New York the trend of cotton prices have been upward as the general belief is that the growing crop is deteriorating since the Government's report shows the condition to be 63.7 per cent., the lowest on record. It is believed that this year's crop will be from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 bales, but the bears claim that a big surplus from last year's crop of 13,817,516 bales (New York figures) will offset the short crop——In the trial of Reuben Barbee at Durham, N. C., for the murder of Engineer Holt, Sol Shepard, a negro, swore on the stand that he is the murderer himself——The two monster battleships, Wyoming and Kansas, will be built by Cramp & Son, at Philadelphia, and by the New York Shipbuilding Company, at Camden, N. J.——R. G. Dun & Co's. Weekly Trade Review reports expansion of business and heavy buying by merchants——At Akagen, Denmark, yesterday, a newspaper correspondent had a brief interview with Dr. Cook, who declared that he had ample proof that he discovered the North Pole——New York markets: Money on call firm 2 to 2 1-2, ruling rate and closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Spot cotton 5 points higher, closing quiet at 12.85. Flour steady and fairly active. Wheat firm, No. 2 red 1.07 1-4. Corn firm, No. 2 old 79 elevator. Oats steady, mixed 40 nominal. Turpentine easy 59 1-2. Rosin steady.

POSSE AFTER CRUEL SLAYER

Citizens of Two Alabama Counties Stirred When White Man Killed Step Daughter and Seriously Shot Divorced Wife.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Troy, Ala., Sept. 2.—Chased across two counties by two sheriffs several deputies and a large posse of citizens, with the certainty of being lynched if captured by the latter, William Stevenson, who this morning shot and killed his step-daughter, Miss Gertrude Vann, and seriously wounded his divorced wife near Grady, Montgomery county, was captured one mile south of Troy this afternoon and lodged in jail here.

Upon advices that a mob of considerable numbers was nearing Troy at 8 o'clock tonight Sheriff Carroll called upon the governor for military protection and the Troy rifles were immediately assembled in their armory, with orders to assist the sheriff in protecting the prisoner.

Sheriff Tatom, of Crenshaw county, advised Sheriff Carrol by wire that it was very probable a body of men marching to Troy is the posse which this morning joined in the chase for Stevenson and he is of the opinion that the men will be satisfied when they learn that Stevenson is safely in jail.

Stevenson admitted the shooting and said it was the result of family troubles. He told the sheriff that he knew he would be lynched if taken back.

This morning Stevenson stole a shot gun and went to Mrs. Stevenson's home where he sought reconciliation. Being denied an interview by his divorced wife, he opened fire, the first shot taking effect in Mrs. Stevenson's right side and completely severing her arm. The second load of shot struck Miss Vann in the abdomen, producing almost instant death.

About 30 members of the posse from Montgomery and Crenshaw counties heavily armed arrived here at 11 o'clock tonight. They appeared to be satisfied when informed that Stevenson was safely behind the bars. It is not now thought that there will be any attempt at lynching.

PRINCE INVITES ROOSEVELT

To Hunt White Elephants With Him in Abyssinia—Big Game Range.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Berlin, Sept. 3.—Lidj Jeassu, the crown prince of Abyssinia, has invited Theodore Roosevelt to a great elephant hunt promising to beat up a white elephant for him to kill and otherwise to arrange a splendid shooting programme.

This news has been brought into Berlin by Adolf Mayer, a kinsman of King Menelik of Abyssinia who has arrived here with a commission from the Abyssinia government to purchase supplies. Before Mr. Mayer left Abyssinia a commission was sent to hand the invitation to Mr. Roosevelt wherever they could find him:

"The envoys of the King are empowered to point out to Mr. Roosevelt," Mr. Mayer said today, "that there is unrivalled elephant hunting in Abyssinia. The crown prince will sent out 5,000 horse men to encircle an immense range of the Prairie and drive in the elephants. Hundreds and possibly thousands of elephants could be assembled and there would probably be one or two white ones among this number."

PHYSICIAN FATALLY SHOT

Woman's Confession Caused Her Husband to Take Revenge.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 3.—Following the confession of his wife that she was suffering from a criminal operation, William McIntyre this morning went to the home of Dr. P. L. Hagler and shot him to the ground. Four of the five shot swere fired without effect. McIntyre was released on bond in the sum of $200.

Hagler was carried to a hospital and later removed to his home.

Mrs. McIntyre, who has been ill several months is said now to be in a dying condition.

Hagler was later taken into custody on a warrant charging the performing of a criminal operation. Charges with advising the operation, Mrs. Sallie Wheeler was placed in jail without bond.

NEWSPAPER WILL GET SOAKED

Blunder in Tariff Bill Will Make Paper Higher.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Quebec, Sept. 3.—A deputation representing all of the pulp and paper manufacturers and all of the Canadian owners of rights to cut timber on crown lands in the province of Quebec have called upon Sir Lomer Kouin, the premier, and asked the government to prohibit the export of pulp wood to the United States. The Americans having the right to cut timber on crown lands did not join.

The matter is to be submitted to the cabinet and the indications are that the importation of pulp wood will be prohibited throughout the dominion. The inevitable consequence will be a sharp advance in print paper throughout the United States.

Benefit Concert

and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

POLE'S DISCOVERY

Exploner Cook Tells Story to Newspaper Correspondent.

REACHED POLE APRIL 21, 1908

Discoverer Says He Has Ample Proof of His Achievement—Explored 35,000 Miles of Unknown Land—Doubts.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Skagen, Denmark, Sept. 3.—A newspaper correspondent who went on board the Hans Egede from the pilot steamer off here, was able to obtain a few words with Dr. Frederick A. Cook. The explorer ascribed his success to the fact that he made use of the old methods, namely, Eskimos and dogs, and that he lived like an Eskimo himself.

The doctor then gave a hurried sketch of his expedition in which he said:

"Going northward I struck first a westerly course from Greenland, and then moved northward.

"I arrived at the North Pole April 21, 1908, as already announced, accompanied by only two Eskimos.

"We reached the pole at 7 o'clock in the morning.

"I took daily observations for a whole fortnight before arriving at the Pole.

"Returning, we were forced to take a westerly route and the first ten days I took observations daily and recorded them. I was unable to measure the depth of the sea as I had not the necessary instruments.

"The lowest temperature was 83 degrees centigrade below zero.

"I have ample proof that I reached the North Pole in the observations I took, which afford a certain means of checking the truth of my statements.

"Although I am proud of my achievement in placing the American flag on the North Pole, I look with much greater pride to the fact that I traveled around more than 30,000 square miles of hitherto unknown ground, an opened up an entirely fresh field for exploration."

The severe gale blowing cut short attempts to obtain a longer interview with Dr. Cook.

The Hans Egede was met in the North Sea by the pilot steamer Polar Bear, aboard which was Captain Amdrup, the well known Polar explorer, who was sent as a special representative of the Danish government to welcome Dr. Cook. As the vessel approached each other Captain Amdrup led the cheers for the American explorer.

Welcome for Discoverer.

New York, Sept. 3.—America's welcome to Dr. Frederick A. Cook will be made one of the principal events of the Hudson-Fulton celebration, if the explorer can be persuaded to hasten his return so as to reach New York before the end of September. To this end the board of directors of the Explorers' Club held a meeting tonight and sent a cablegram to Copenhagen urging Dr. Cook to be the guest of honor at the club's Hudson-Fulton dinner on September 30.

If a favorable reply is received steps will be taken at once to make September 30th "Cook Day" at the Hudson-Fulton celebration and a substantial fund will be raised to make his welcome home an event corresponding to the unparalelled character of his achievement.

The cablegram sent tonight, signed by Henry C. Walsh, secretary of the Explorers' Club, is as follows:

"Heartiest congratulations on your splendid achievement by board of directors of explorers' Club. We urge you to be guest of honor at Explorers' Club dinner September 30.

"Signed: WALSH."

If the plans of the Explorers' Club meet with Dr. Cook's approval and the date tentatively selected tonight is appointed for the official welcome, an international character will be lent to the celebration by the presence in New York at that time of several of the most prominent explorers of other countries.

Those present at tonight's meeting in the Explorers' Club rooms were almost unanimous in their belief that Dr. Cook would be able to produce ample proof to convince all doubters. There are those, however, in the membership of the club, it was said, who frankly question Dr. Cook's account of his achievement and who have declared to the directors that the most unassailable scientific proof should be demanded before the club officially recognizes Dr. Cook as the discoverer of the Pole. One of the directors of the club who declined to be at tonight's meeting because, as he frankly said, he was not in sympathy with the project, was quoted as declaring that the society should demand proof. This director is a close personal friend of Lieutenant Peary, and it was said tonight that many of Peary's friends in the club are supporting this point of view.

Believes in Cook.

Rome, Sept. 3.—A correspondent of the Tribuna interviewed Captain Umber Cagni, president of the International Polar Commission, and himself an explorer of note, on his arrival to-

(Continued on Page Eight.)

COTTON SITUATION

General Belief That South's Crop is Deterionating.

CONDITION LOWEST ON RECORD

Growing Crop Estimated From 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 Bales—Bears Claim Last Year's Big Surplus Will Offset Crop.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—A general belief that the cotton crop is deteriorating caused an advance at one time with rather spirited buying by New Orleans, Memphis and other interests even if the speculation has continued to be ignored by the general public. Taken as a whole the trading has been professional. Various bullish private reports, giving the condition of the crop at from 64.1 to 68.7 per cent. led the bulk of the cotton trade to look for a Government report on the 2nd instant of about 65 per cent., as against a 10-year average for September of about 73.6 per cent.

The report actually gave the condition at 63.7 per cent., against 71.9 per cent., last month, 76.1 last year, 73.7 in 1907, with a crop of 11,375,000 bales, 77.3 in 1906 with a crop of 13,511,000 bales, and 72.1 in 1905, when the crop was 11,346,000 bales. Thus it will be seen that the official report exceeded even the most radical in point of bullishness. It is the lowest September condition on record, the nearest approach being 64.0 in 1902.

A tendency towards some reaction was noticed when January touched 12.58 early in the week. According to some bulls, the crop's condition had been pretty well discounted. Talk to the effect that short staple cotton might be sent in considerable quantities from Texas for delivery on contracts here had some effect. Also after a rise of about 80 points there was some natural disposition to realize the profits on the eve of the Labor Day holiday. Spinners have not bought heavily.

Bears still insist that there is still every likelihood of a large crop movement in the near future whatever the actual size of the crop, and that the effect on prices can hardly fail to be, for the time being at least, depressing. According to some advices the large spinners' takings from the last crop were not all consumed and the rise in cotton goods has not been commensurate with the advance in the price of the raw material. The last crop was the largest ever known, reaching, according to the New York figures, 13,817,516 bales. Probably the actual yield exceeded 14,000,000 bales. This means that a large surplus has been carried over into the new season. This will do much towards making good any deficiency in the present crop.

Speculation for a rise has received several severe setbacks this season. The pace during May and June was too rapid to last. It has been a chastened market since the first big slump of $6 a bale. Meantime, however, the consensus of opinion among many experienced cotton people is that ultimately prices are bound to reach a much higher level. While estimates of the crop range from 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 bales, and the world's consumption is estimated at 13,000,000 bales or over, bears figure in some cases that the surplus carried over from last season will be large enough to give ample supply.

Following the issuance of the bureau report, showing a condition even lower than the most extravagant claims of the bulls, there was a rise of roundly a dozen points, but at that juncture the stiffest kind of opposition was met and subsequently the bear crowd raided the market with almost unparalelled ferocity, throwing cotton on the market in such blocks as to more than satisfy the demand, and finally causing prices to relinquish what they had gained.

Late in the week an advance of roundly ten points was established on general short covering and buying by New Orleans, Memphis and Liverpool. Wall street houses continued to sell as well as the prominent interests who had been identified with the bear drive after the government report.

Liverpool was stronger than expected and sent various stimulating cables. It was still hot and dry in the Southwest, and complaints of drouth were also received from East of the Mississippi. Advices from the South also alluded to heavy spot sales. Fall River mills were said to be among the buyers.

NEW STEAMER SERVICE

Vessels Will Ply Between New York and Memphis—River Route.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

St. Louis, Sept. 3.—Steamer service between New York and Memphis with an early extension to St. Louis will be established early next year according to William Jervis, traffic manager of a Texas company with offices in St. Louis.

Mr. Jervis said today that he understood that five light draft boats now being constructed will be operated between the two ports by way of the Mississippi river the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic ocean.

DAY'S DOINGS IN RALEIGH

Grand Representative of Odd Fellows. Celebration in Cumberland County—Licensed to Practice Law—Other News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 3.—Grand Secretary B. H. Woodell, of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, announces that Eugene P. Albea, Winston-Salem, is appointed grand representative to the Sovereign Grand Lodge in session at Seattle September 21st. He is named instead of H. M. Shaw, of Oxford, resigned. This change is in addition to the appointment previously announced of Chas. F. Lumsden, Raleigh, as grand representative in the place of Perrin Busbee, of Raleigh, who resigned on account of feeble health.

Grand Secretary Woodell says Odd Fellowship in North Carolina is in the most flourishing condition in years with rapid growth in membership and keen interest in the work. There are something like 16,000 Odd Fellows in the State. The grand secretary is just back from Hope Mills, Cumberland county, where he took part in the celebration of the 20th anniversary of the installation of the lodge, No. 123. Only four of the members of the team that instituted the lodge are living. These are W. D. Gaster, Moore county, at the time grand master; J. M. Lamb, J. M. Hollingsworth and Jno. G. Oehrl, all of Cumberland. All except Past Grand Master Gaster attended the celebration.

Fifty out of the 62 applicants for license to practice law successfully passed the Supreme Court examination, 19 from the University Law School and 22 from Wake Forest. The successful applicants were: Thos. M. Daniel, Oliver H. McMillan, Mullins, S. C.; T. W. Kallum, Pilot Mountain; W. A. Bristol, Iredell; R. F. Brooks, Currie, Pender county; G. J. Gasque, Florence, S. C.; P. G. Sawyer, Elizabeth City; C. L. Hardie, Arizona; W. I. Halstead, South Mills; R. W. Wilson, Asheville; C. D. McNelley, Union; J. B. Turner, Wake Forest; J. W. Cole, Lexington; W. Z. Ray, Mars Hill; W. J. Pratt, Union; W. R. Sherrill, Jackson; D. H. Tillett, Camden; G. W. Sutton, Jackson; G. W. Saint Sing, Wake Forest; Jno. R. McLendon, Union; E. W. Copeland, Guilford; C. A. Cochrane, Montgomery; Frank B. Daniels, Wayne; M. F. Douglass, Guilford; J. M. Folger, Surry; W. L. Foushee and D. H. Gladstone, Durham; W. C. Rarris, Wake; S. R. Hoyle, Lee; S. G. Hudson, Guilford; J. W. Hutchinson, Charlotte; J. H. McCall, Marion; F. M. Parish, Lawrenceville, Va.; W. W. Peirce, Duplin; D. E. Perry, Lenoir; H. M. Queen, Waynesville; W. P. Stacy, Chapel Hill; A. L. Wissburg, Durham; S. J. Stern, Guilford; E. L. Henry, Asheville; Chas. K. Faucette, Cumberland; Owen Gudger, Asheville; F. A. Hampton, Charlotte; Z. V. Rawls, Pamlico; W. M. Wilson, Rock Hill, S. C.; Bruce Craven, Lenoir; J. G. Lewis, H. E. Lewis, Iredell; C. J. Katzenstein, Warren and D. R. Fonville, Burlington.

It is learned that the architects are just now perfecting the plans for a general remodeling and extensive improvement and enlargement of the union passenger station here. The Norfolk & Southern is to begin running its trains into the union station very soon now, this making four roads that run into the station, he Southern, Seaboard Air Line, Raleigh & Southport and Norfolk & Southern. There is no official information as yet as to when the work of remodeling will begin.

SAYS HE MURDERED HOLT

Barbee, Accused White Man, Denies His Guilt.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Durham, N. C., Sept. 3.—The defense in the Reuben Barbee murder case played a high card today when it succeeded in getting before the court, after a hard fight, the evidence of Sol Shepard, the negro who has several times stated that he and not Barbee murdered Engineer Holt here last December. Shepard on the stand swore that he shot Holt at the time mentioned. Counsel for the State introduced an alienist, Dr. E. B. Ferrabee, to prove that Shepard was an imbecile. Ferrabee expressed such an opinion.

With the exception of getting his dates a little mixed, Shepard stood the cross examination well.

Barbee went on the stand in his own behalf and stated that he had no reason to shoot Engineer Holt and that on the night of the crime he was at home.

At 4:45 P. M. A. L. Brooks, for the State, began his address to the jury.

BIG STRIKE THREATENED.

20,000 Mill Operatives Have Made Demands for Higher Wages.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New Bedford, Sept. 3.—A general strike of the 20,000 cotton mill operatives in this city is threatened as a result of the refusal of the manufacturers to restore a 10 per cent. cut in wages, made in March, 1908. At a meeting of the textile council tonight the formal refusal of the mill owners was received.

Entire line of untrimmed Summer hats reduced to 50 cents each. A few trimmed hats at $1.50 each. French Millinery Parlors. se 2 2t

SAILORS WIN AGAIN

Score One to Nothing in Favor of Wilmington in Pretty Game.

SEASON WILL CLOSE TODAY

Series of Athletic Sports at League Park This Afternoon—No Tie Game to Play—The Conclusion.

With Sexton in the box the locals had a batting rally in the fifth inning when Sharp and Kite connected with Ridgeway for a couple of two-base hits which netted the only run and the second of the post season baseball games went to Wilmington yesterday afternoon by the score of one to nothing.

On account of the unusually cold weather, only a small crowd attended and the management of both teams have decided to close the season with the game this afternoon, let victory fall where it may, the championship to hang upon the result of this one contest. All the "bugs" are expected to be present to say farewell to the players for the season and in honor of the close a series of athletic sports have been arranged to begin at 3 o'clock. Umpire Watts, who is one of the best ever, will be master of ceremonies and all who go to the park may be assured of something interesting. The game yesterday was hard fought by both teams and victory was not assured until the last man was out in the ninth.

In the first inning Sisson flew to short, Jackson was safe on error of second and went to that station. Anthony was safe on error of Nichols at third; Bentley fanned and Hicks was out pitcher to first. For Wilmington Nichols fanned, Brennan walked and while Brodie was at bat, Brennan was caught trying to steal second, Brodie flying to short.

Second inning — Lynch fannel, Grubbs was safe on error of third, Walsh sacrificed him but Ridgeway was out pitcher to first. Wilmington: Ross flew to third, Levy singled and later went to second on muff at first and was sacrificed to third by Sharp but Jayes fanned.

Third—Sisson was out pitcher to first, Jackson short to first and Anthony flew to second. Wilmington: Kite walked but was caught trying second; Sexton and Nichols were out third to first.

Fourth—Bentley flew to second, Hicks singled and while Lynch was up was caught at second; Lynch fanned. Wilmington: Brennan was out pitcher to first; Brodie singled through third and while Ross was at bat, went to second on error of first; Ross fanned, while Levy was out second to first.

Fifth—Grubb flew to short, Walsh flew to left and Ridgeway was out to first unassisted. Wilmington put one over in her half, Sharp leading off with a two base hit to right and went to third on Jayes' safe bunt and scored on Kite's double to right. Jayes having been out trying second while Kite was up; Sexton was safe on fielder's choice and Kite was thrown out at third; Nichols was out short to first.

Sixth—Sisson was out short to first; Jackson third to first; Anthony singled and stole second, but Bentley was out second to first. Wilmington: Brennan flew to left, Brodie was out pitcher to first and Ross second to first.

Seventh—Hicks was out third to first; Lynch singled; Grubbs was safe on fielder's choice and Lynch was out at second; Walsh was out second to first. Wilmington: Levy and Sharp fanned; Jayes singled but was out trying to steal second.

Eighth—Ridgeway was out pitcher to first; Sisson singled and stole second while Jackson was fanning; Anthony was safe on error of third, but Bentley fouled out to third. Wilmington: Kite was safe on error of short; Sexton bunted to third and was safe, Nichols sacrificed and Brennan was safe on fielder's choice but Kite was out at the plate; Brodie was up and on attempt at a double steal Sexton was out at the plate.

Ninth—Hicks flew to third, Lynch was out short to first; Grubb walked; Clapp batted for Walsh and was out second to first.

The Tabulated Score.

Greensboro.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Sisson, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Jackson, 3b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Anthony, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bentley, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Hicks, ss	4	0	1	4	2	1
Lynch, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Grubb, 1b	3	0	0	8	1	2
Walsh, c	2	0	0	7	6	0
Ridgeway, p	3	0	0	0	4	0
*Clapp	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	0	4	24	19	3

Clapp batted for Walsh in ninth.

Wilmington.	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Nichols, 3b	3	0	0	2	3	3
Brennan, 2b	3	0	0	4	3	1
Brodie, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Ross, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Levy, 1b	3	0	1	14	1	0
Sharp, ss	2	1	1	2	3	0
Jayes, lf	3	0	2	1	0	0
Kite, c	2	0	1	4	2	0
Sexton, p	3	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	25	1	7	27	16	4

(Continued on Page 5.)

The Morning Star.
Founded A. D. 1867.

Published by the
WILMINGTON STAR CO.
J. E. THOMPSON,
Vice President and General Manager.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

Entered as second-class matter at the postoffice at Wilmington, N. C., under the Act of Congress of March 8, 1874.

Saturday, September 4, 1909.

WINTER VISITORS FOR WILMINGTON.

The season just ended at Wrightsville Beach has been one of the best that delightful resort has ever experienced. From June till September hundreds of people have passed through Wilmington on their way to the seaside, and the hotels and boarding houses at the beach have been crowded, on many occasions completely overflowing.

Carolina Beach has also had its share of visitors as the steamer ride with that popular gentleman, Captain John W. Harper, of the steamer Wilmington, is justly popular with visitors as well as our home people.

Both resorts are extremely delightful and are growing more popular every season. They are valuable assets for Wilmington, and our people as a whole should promote and exploit them in every possible manner. People are now coming here from many States and our resorts must be made so attractive that when visitors come here once they will be anxious to come again.

The mountain section of North Carolina has also been overrun with visitors and Summer tourists. Many have tarried at our beaches and then hied away to our mountains, thus getting the benefit of the most delightful seaside and mountain recreation to be had in the South.

In Western North Carolina there is complaint of short crops, while in respect to crops we have been abundantly blessed in Eastern Carolina. While the mountain regions may not fare so well from an agricultural point of view, it is said that the Summer tourists taking in the Appalachian resorts will make up for short crops, to a large extent. With reference to Asheville and other mountain resorts, Editor Johnson, of Charity and Children, writes:

"The tide of Summer visitors seeking health and pleasure has been higher, perhaps, than ever before. Boarding houses have reaped a rich harvest this season. The Southern Railway station at Asheville looks like that at Jersey City. South Carolina almost empties herself in our North Carolina mountains in July and August. Georgia and Florida and many other States are well represented; and they tell us that the North rushes down in multitudes when the Winter sets in. Asheville is, and will continue to be, our cosmopolitan city. The ends of the earth are there."

Speaking of Asheville as a Winter resort, why should not Wilmington and our seaside be made attractive to Northern visitors? Proper hotel accommodations would attract them, and thus we would have a never ending season for visitors. Nearly every Winter Northern people write to Wilmington for accommodations and we know of several instances in which they could not secure what was wanted, so they could not come. There is no doubt that if the proper steps were taken, many Northern visitors would come to Wilmington to enjoy our delightful Winters—the finest in the country.

THE CONTEST FOR GOOD ROADS.

When Pender and Duplin counties vote on the good roads proposition, they should remember that the western counties will get ahead of us if we don't stir our stumps. Bonds should be voted to make improved highways, as that is the best way to lift part of the burden from people of this day and place a portion of it on future generations who are to reap equal benefit from improvements of such a lasting and permanent nature as macadamized roads.

Caldwell county is boasting of 124 miles of fine roads and many counties in Western North Carolina are bestirring themselves. Col. F. A. Olds, the well known Raleigh newspaper man, has been up in the mountains, and has returned to Raleigh from which city he sent this out on Thursday:

"State Geologist Pratt is here, having been with United States Road Expert Spoon in 17 mountain counties and says the people are enthusiastic regarding the plan to get 300 miles of improved roads in the Southern Appalachians. He says the Appalachian road congress at Asheville, October 5, will be attended by delegates from every county and town in the Piedmont and mountain sections of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Tennessee, Virginia, and at least four Governors will be present, Governor Kitchin among them."

Our eastern counties must not let the mountain people get away with us on this good roads question. The advantages are too great for our people to hesitate one moment, so whenever a good roads election is to be held rush to the polls and make it unanimous.

ALIBI FOR AMERICAN WOMEN.

Dr. Wylie, the Government pure food expert, in a vicious criticism of the cooking of American women, calls them "the modern Lucretia Borgias." Of course, men surely are getting poisoned and knocked out on account of bad cooking, but it isn't the ladies who are doing it. Because they just won't cook. They'll go back to mother before they will think of such a thing as preparing the victuals.

We are one of Dr. Wylie's most rooterific friends, but we can tell him to his face over the long distance 'phone from Wilmington to Washington that he ought to be ashamed of himself for blaming the cooking on the women. When it comes to being caught in the kitchen "messing around" they can prove an alibi. They are busy trying to "make a good appearance" and they've got it into their heads that a cook stove and a pan of dish-water are not conducive to dainty hands. Even if they would cook, the men won't bring in the stove wood and carry out the ashes.

We now tell Dr. Wylie to his teeth that the reason we men have dyspepsia and are bordering on pellagra is because the women won't cook. He will please stand corrected. This is refutation that refutes and is irrefutable, so we refuse beforehand to allow him space to come back at us with any kind of a bamboozling argument.

WILMINGTON'S FLYING MACHINE.

The Pender Chronicle, of Burgaw, thus refers to a flying machine that has been invented and is under construction in Wilmington:

"A Wilmington inventor, Palmgren, has succeeded in organizing a company with many of the strongest, best and most conservative business men of the city to develop his air ship ideas. He proposes to fly around considerably when Taft comes to Wilmington. Look out Charlotte, you'll be behind if you don't mind. Curtis will bring the International contest to the City by the Sea. Your good roads can cut no figure with flying machines."

Wilmington has both the flying machines and the good roads, so those who don't care to fly can bring their automobile and take a spin on the smoothest roads in North Carolina.

John Vance Cheney, the Chicago poet, denies the rumor that he is manufacturing hair oil. The rumor has prostrated Mrs. Cheney who evidently is too proud to have her literary husband looked upon as a slick article.

As Dr. Cook has beaten all the explorers to the North Pole, Walter Wellman can now take in the country fairs with the balloon that fooled him by refusing to carry him any further than 30 miles.

Jack Albright is to start a new Republican paper in Mount Airy. Jack is a Wilmingtonian and having dipped his fingers in printers' ink years ago, it seems that he can't stay out of trouble.

We presume that by this time former President Roosevelt has approved Dr. Cook's discovery of the North Pole last year while the Rooseveltian administration was doing business at home.

The Republican newspapers of the State are rubbing into us because our Democratic State anti-trust law hasn't busted any trusts. It ought to be tried before it is found guilty.

The New York woman who has married a legless man must have been looking for a husband who can't walk off on his dignity when it is necessary to call him down.

Dr. Cook had a theory about reaching the North Pole. He followed up the theory and won. A man with a head full of ideas will get there sooner or later.

"The oyster is now our guest," remarks the Durham Sun. It is needless to say that we will take the guest in and what we will do for him will be a plenty.

Unprofessional remedies for pellagra are going the rounds of the newspapers. If you've got pellagra consult a doctor and let the granny remedies alone.

The North Carolina farmers who keep on raising three bales of cotton or 100 bushels of corn to the acre are liable to be in the market for a cashier.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The Washington Post says that it is likely that many false cases of pellagra will turn up. Certainly. It's ultrafashionable to have a new disease.—Greensboro Telegram.

—Dare county, North Carolina, is the place that can brag. The first wireless message was sent on Roanoke Island and there the Wrights praticed until they learned how to fly.—Raleigh News and Observer.

—In three more months, 1910, New Bern will be two hundred years old. Some concerted action on the part of the city, county and chamber of commere should be taken towards making arrangements for the celebration next years.—Newbern Sun.

—Evidently the editor of the esteemed Greensboro News is a new comer in the Gate City. Like most of the residents of that vainglorious municipality, "the wish being parent to the thought," he shuts his eyes to real facts, and fancies himself domiciled in the greatest metropolis of Christendom.—Charlotte News.

—There has been more progress in farming in North Carolina than in anything else. It is said that up to the tenth of August the farmers of Currituck county shipped 150,000 barrels of sweet potatoes, netting the growers $2 per barrel, or a total of $300,000. The profit is said to be $100 per acre. What is better?—Raleigh News and Observer.

—The last of the cotton bears must have surrendered almost incontinently after reading the government cotton report printed in this morning's Observer. North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia, which have almost an average crop, will profit by a shortage spreading over all the principal Gulf States and worse still in Oklahoma.—Charlotte Observer, Sept. 3rd.

—Hair has considerably risen in price. In the city of Limoges, the principal market for hair, a kilo of hair worth 2 pounds a few years ago now fetches 4 pounds 10 shillings. This rise has been caused by the increased size of hats, which necessitates an extra supply of hair so as to offer a proper basis to the new structures. Moreover, the young French peasant girls are less anxious to part with their tresses; and the dealers in hair are unable to cope with the demand made upon them. The crisis is attaining huge proportions, and wearers of false hair would do well to lay in a stock or they will be compelled to pay farmine prices.—Gentlewoman.

TWINKLINGS.

—Tom—Say, did you ever kiss a girl in a quiet spot?" Jack—Yes, but the spot was only quiet while I was kissing it.—Boston Transcript.

—Little Elsie Westlake—"Is New York near the Atlantic ocean?" Little Dottie Morningside—"No; the Atlantic ocean is near New York."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—"Tempus fugit, you know." "Yes, I met a young woman the other day who said her mother had been one of the members of the original 'Florodora' sextet."—Chicago Record-Herald.

—First Straphanger (in a whisper)—"Why did you give that woman your seat? She isn't bundle-laden, tired, or pretty, or even polite." Second Straphanger—"Well—er—you see—she is my wife."—Harvard Lampoon.

—First Girl (looking at statue of the Venus de Milo)—"What terribly thick waists girls must have had in those days." Second Girl—"Yes; but perhaps the gentlemen's arms were longer."—Human Life.

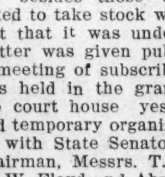
—"Hogan's cow bruk into the strawberry patch this mornin', sorr, an' it's hivvy damages we sh'uld git from him." "It's no use, Patrick. He'll be sure to swear it was somebody else's cow." "The divil a bit, sorr. He can't. Oi shut the baste in there fur ividence."—Judge.

—Lumberton Robesonian, Sept. 2.—A new bank, which will be known as the Farmers' and Commercial Bank of Robeson, has been launched and will begin business in Lumberton about the first of November. It will have a capital stock of $15,000 and the majority of the stock has been subscribed. The fact that a new bank was proposed has been kept very quiet and few besides those who have been asked to take stock were aware of the fact that it was under way until the matter was given publicity yesterday. A meeting of subscribers to the stock was held in the grand jury room at the court house yesterday morning and temporary organization was effected with State Senator D. P. Shaw as chairman, Messrs. T. A. McNeill, Jr., M. W. Floyd and Abner Nash as trust fund committee. Shares are $55 and subscribers are limited to ten shares. Ten per cent. of subscriptions were paid in yesterday and the same amount will be paid in monthly until subscriptions are paid. A charter will be applied for next month when the second payment is made. So far there are 80 subscribers to the stock throughout the county. The location for the bank has not yet been determined.

Night on Bald Mountain.

On a lonely night Alex. Benton of Fort Edward, N. Y., climbed Bald Mountain to the home of a neighbor, tortured by Asthma, bent on curing him with Dr. King's New Discovery, that had cured himself of asthma. This wonderful medicine soon relieved and quickly cured his neighbor. Later it cured his sons' wife of a severe lung trouble. Millions believe it's the greatest Throat and Lung cure on earth. Coughs, colds, croup, hemorrhages and sore lungs are surely cured by it. Best for hay fever, grip and whooping cough. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

ICE CREAM
1c. a Dish



is made in this way: Stir a package of
JELL-O ICE CREAM Powder
into a quart of milk and freeze it. That can be done in about ten minutes.
There is nothing to add, for the powder supplies everything, and there is no cooking or anything else to do.
You will have two quarts of delicious ice cream for the usual cost of two dishes.
2 packages for 25 cents.
Illustrated Recipe Book Free.
The Genesee Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

FINE candies are not a matter of wealth, but of culture. Now NUNNALLY'S are higher priced, because the materials and the making cost more—because they are better. Cultured people prefer them. If their candy allowance is limited, a little of NUNNALLY'S satisfies them better than a lot of some other.
Nunnally's
A fresh supply always kept by J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG COMPANY.
"None Like Nunnally's."

Big Newbern Excursion. Of Course You Are Going. Else You Will be Mighty Sorry.

Have you made up your mind to take in that delightful trip to Newbern on Labor Day, September 6th, via the fast and famous Atlantic Coast Line. If so, remember that the train will leave the Union Station at 7:30 A. M. and in view of the fact that there will be a tremendous crowd it will be necessary to be on hand early. Don't wait until the train is ready to start, but get there in time for a seat. There will be no crowding as the management will allow only a certain number on board and all who are successful in getting on will have the pleasure of enjoying a comfortable ride, which will not be characterized by jostling and crowding. The fare for this great trip is only $1.50. Get there early and side-step the rush and you will have the pleasure of enjoying one of the finest excursions ever run out of Wilmington. Train will leave Newbern on the return trip at 10:00 o'clock at night. There will be separate cars for white and colored passengers.
aug24-10d.

NO WONDER

some people are afraid to trust themselves in an old carriage. When you have any doubts about the safety you should bring it here and have it overhauled and repaired. "No chain is stronger than its weakest link," and that weakness may be hidden from the eye of any one but an expert like
J. O. BROWN
aug 31 tf

We Are Ahead
In our selections of EXTRA CHOICE MEATS, .BEEF, .VEAL, MUTTON, LAMB, FRESH EGGS, BUTTER and POULTRY.
HOPKINS & DAVIS
FRONT STREET MARKET.
STALLS Nos. 1 and 2 North Side.
STALLS Nos. 1 and 3 South Side.
PHONES 141 and 128.
au 28-tf.

HUGH MacRAE & CO.
BANKERS,
Miscellaneous Southern Securities
Cotton Mill Stocks
WILMINGTON, N. C.
New York City, 149 Broadway.
jun 22 tf

CHAPMAN MANOR
AND
MOUNTAIN HOUSE
BLUE RIDGE SUMMIT, PA.
JOHN W. WELCH.
Both houses built of Stone. Highest point on Western Maryland R. R. Altitude 1500 feet. Moderate prices.
aug 31 26t

Blue prints of all kinds are made by Southern Map Co., phone 813, So. Bldg.

BURRETT H. STEPHENS
Architect
and Consulting Engineer
406 Southern Building.

GAYLORD'S
NEW
ARRIVALS!

On exhibition in the Ladies Coat Suit and Skirt Department you will find this season's newest and most stylish creations in tailor made suits and skirts. The quality of the material is splendid, the fit of the garment we "guarantee" to be perfect, and the style "chic," "smart" and up-to-date," Ranging in price from.....$5.98 to $60.00

Misses School Suits, all brand new, all the work of the most skilled artists, all hard finished wool goods. Description gives but a small idea of the quality and beauty of these garments. To be appreciated they must be inspected. All fits we guarantee, having secured the services of a skilled tailor who knows his work.

Our Low Cash Prices Will Save You 25% on These Suits.

We are also displaying a new line of black Taffeta Shirt Waists at.....$2.75 to $6.50

Have also opened up and placed on sale a large lot of new styles in black net Waists from.....$5.50 to $6.98

New goods arriving daily for our ladies' ready-to-wear department.

For Men

Both old and young, we are now offering the first shipment of Suits received from the famous Adler Bros. Come and have a look at these suits. The style and fit will please you, the quality will satisfy you, and the price meet the approval of your sense of economy.

New Trunks and Valises, Carpets, Rugs and Matting.

Ask to be shown our line of Cottage Carpet.

Anything you need at

GEO. O. GAYLORD
BIG DEPARTMENT STORE
210, 212, 214 N. FRONT ST.
aug 29-tf

SPECIAL SALE OF REFRIGERATORS
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

North Stars,
McCray,
Indiana,
Ice King,
North Star Ice Boxes.
All the best.
We need the room.
Don't miss this golden opportunity to buy.
N. JACOBI HARDWARE COMPANY
10 & 12 S. FRONT ST.
aug 29-tf

We are receiving today balance of our season's contract
Wood's Celebrated Mowing Machines,
Hay Rakes and Tedders. If you want the benefit of our special closing out prices, mail your orders quick.
WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.
Wilmington, N. C.
aug 31 tf

Now Is the Time to Advertise in The Star

WANTED!

Young men and women for positions of trust, where intelligent service will be appreciated and paid for—

Experienced men and women for positions requiring ability and tact—

People of all ages, of all talents, of divers abilities, for suitable lines of employment—

Used things—such as pianos, organs, every sort of musical instrument, writing machines, cash registers, store and office fixtures, talking machines, books, engravings, post cards, stamp collections, rugs, carpets, furniture of every kind—

Horses and carriages, trucks, business wagons, bicycles, guns, cameras, fishing tackle, automobiles—

Real estate—lots, plots, acres, leaseholds, equities, houses, flats, apartments, stores—

Instruction in painting, singing, the violin and piano, shorthand, accounting, languages, correspondence, dancing—

Places to live—houses, apartments, furnished rooms, boarding places—

These are some of the thousands of people and things that are "wanted" in this city just now—and if you can fill any of these wants,

Inquire of the Public

THROUGH A STAR BUSINESS LOCAL

One-Third OFF

All Stein-Blochs and Michaels Sterns Clothing reduced

ONE-THIRD.

This is the most important sale of them all, because it involves the best made clothing in the city, and all at a great reduction. Garments that are the finest examples of Modern Tailoring, garments that set the style, garments which at regular prices have no value rivals.

$10.00 Suits	$ 6.67
12.00 Suits	8.00
13.50 Suits	9.00
15.00 Suits	10.00
16.50 Suits	11.00
18.00 Suits	12.00
20.00 Suits	13.64
22.50 Suits	15.00
25.00 Suits	16.67

Men's and Boys' Pants.
Men's and Boys' Suits.
Our Straw Hats all Reduced

ONE-THIRD.

J. W. FLEET Co.

Phone 673. So. W. Corner Front and Princess Sts.

aug 8 tf

LUMBER AND SHINGLE MILLS

The largest stock of cypress shingles carried in the State. We always have over a million in stock.

We make 13 different grades and sizes, varying from $2.00 to $10.00 per M. Our shingles are recognized in the Northern Markets, as well as in the West Indies, as the very highest standard, both in grade and manufacture. "We have a standing guarantee that " we give (2) good ones for (1) bad one."

Don't buy any shingles that do not have W. W. Koch in large type on every bundle.

We do not dip the ends of our shingles in red ocre to hide windshakes and other defects. Don't buy until you get our prices and compare the shingles. We make and dispose of 20,000 shingles per day.

We furnish all the shingles t for the government at Fort Caswell, ours being the only shingles tat stand government inspection.

W W. KOCH'S LUMBER AND SHINGLE MILLS

Opposite Hilton Park. 'Phone 346.

jun 13 tf

Water White 150° Fire Test Oil

Tested in Elliott closed cup. Inspected by North Carolina State Inspector July 7th, 1909. :: :: ::

Cape Fear Oil Co.

Phone 873.

jul 2 tf

FIRST PLAYING CARDS

They Seem to Have Sprung From the Naibis of the Saracens.

INVENTION OF A VENETIAN.

The Evidence Appears to Prove That Games With Cards Originated Toward the End of the Fourteenth Century—The Cards of Charles VI.

The earliest direct mention of playing cards discovered so far is in the "History of the City of Viterbo," says the New York Telegraph. The author quotes Covelluzzo, who wrote about the end of the fifteenth century:

"In the year of 1379 was brought into Viterbo the game of cards, which comes from the country of the Saracens and is with them called naib."

It is worthy of remark that Covelluzzo did not write at that date he mentioned, but a century later, in 1480, and it is quite possible that he may have been mistaken in attributing the cards to Saracenic origin or may have simply been quoting a popular tradition. The Saracens were familiar with naibis, the predecessor of cards, but they did not invent the game of cards, of which naibis were only a part.

The earliest date about which there can be no dispute at which playing cards are directly mentioned by a writer as a matter of his personal experience is that discovered in the register of the court treasurer of France, in the reign of Charles VI. The entry is under the date of Feb. 1, 1392, as follows:

"Given to Jacquemin Gringonneur, painter, for three packs of playing cards, in gold and various colors and ornamented with several devices, to carry before the lord our king for his amusement 56 sols of Paris."

This is the foundation upon which is based the popular notion that playing cards were invented for the amusement of a crazy French king. Critics have pointed out that the amount paid is simply for the hand painting and decoration of the cards. There is nothing in the entry that gives ground for supposing that the cards themselves were new.

There are on exhibition today at the National library in Paris what are supposed to be seventeen of these cards that were painted for Charles VI., and this has strengthened the impression that they are the original model from which all playing cards have been copied. Unfortunately for the fame of the exhibit, it has been proved that the cards shown in Paris are really very fine Venetian tarok cards and are part of an edition made at least as late as 1425.

During the twenty years that follow this date of the royal treasurer's (1392) literature is full of references to playing cards. Almost every author that mentions games of gambling paraphernalia particularizes one or more games of cards. But before that date no allusion has been found to a game that could be construed as a card game, although there are several writers who might reasonably be expected to mention cards if they were acquainted with them.

Hugh von Tymberg, who wrote in the second half of the thirteenth and the beginning of the fourteenth century; Petrarch, who wrote in the first half of the fourteenth century; Chaucer, who wrote in the second half of the fourteenth century, made no mention of cards, although in the writings of all of them there are references to gambling tables and implements.

In the Escurial library there is a manuscript composed by order of Don Alphonso the Wise, dated 1321, which gives the rules for a number of games, especially chess and dice, but does not contain a word about cards.

But one naturally asks if the earliest mention of cards is to be found in the register of the royal treasurer of France where did cards come from if they were not a new thing to him?

To go back a little, it is well known that there existed long before the date of any mention of playing cards a series of emblematic pictures called naibis, which were used by gypsies and others for the purpose of fortune telling and sorcery. It is probably these naibis that were brought to Europe by the Saracens, and perhaps they were supposed to be of Saracenic origin.

Authorities seem to be pretty well agreed that toward the end of the fourteenth century some inventive genius, probably a Venetian, selected a number of these naibis or pictures and added to them a series of numeral cards so as to convert them into implements by which the excitement of chance and the interest of gaming might be added to the amusement afforded by the original naibis.

The principal reason for assuming that cards originated in Italy and not in France is that the names of the cards themselves and the names of the earliest known games played with them are all Italian and that these Italian terms were carried all over Europe. If they were of French origin the nomenclature might be expected to be French.

There is an abundant evidence that the playing cards which rapidly found their way all over Europe were made in Venice. As each country got to making its own cards the emblems of the suits were changed to please the national fancy until there is nothing left today of the original faith, charity, justice and fortitude which were represented on the first Italian packs.

"Every rose has its thorn, and unfortunately the thorn outlives the rose."

NEVER before has there been devised a piano-selling plan that saves you so much money or offers such opportunities for free musical education as the Ludden & Bates Piano Club. Join it and you save one-third your piano money—$113—in cash. We sell you for only $287 an elegant cabinet grand piano equal to any $400 piano made, and include with it a complete course of instruction without a cent additional cost. You pay $25 when you become a club member and the balance on easy payments.

This wonderful club offer is due to our plan of selling 100 pianos at a time instead of one. By our plan it costs but little more to sell one hundred than to sell one; besides we are wholesalers and sell to you at the wholesale price, saving the dealer's profit—and all this tremendous saving in selling cost is divided with you.

The Ludden & Bates New Scale PIANO

is backed by a lifetime guarantee to be perfect in every respect—thousands of satisfied customers, many in your neighborhood, will tell you this.

You run no risks in joining this club. If the head of the family dies, we cancel the club contract and give you the piano without payment of another cent. You have everything to gain and nothing to lose.

The Ludden & Bates Club Piano is a full cabinet grand with special copper-wound and steel strings, perfect scale, light, even touch, genuine ivory keys. Magnificent cases of first grade walnut, mahogany or oak. Rich, clear, "singing" tone found only in highest grade pianos.

Write us at once for application blank and description of our club plan. Our experts will select any piano you desire and we'll stake our reputation on furnishing a perfect instrument. Stool and scarf free. Write to-day, as club is now forming.

LUDDEN & BATES, Southern Music House, Dept. CH, [illegible], Wilmington, N. C.

NOTICE STOCKHOLDERS

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company, for the election of Directors and for such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held Wednesday afternoon, September 8th, at four o'clock, in Room 311 in the Southern Building, corner Front and Chesnut streets.

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.

MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

au 31 to se 9.

Pale Export BEER

This is to notify our customers that they can secure this popular brand by sending their orders to Petersburg, Va.

4 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $3.00.
10 Doz. Bottles F. O. B. Petersb'g, $7.50.

DARLEY PARK BREWING COMPANY

G. MORGAN KNIGHT, Manager. PETERSBURG, VA.

ROOFING.	LIME, CEMENT AND PLASTER.
200,000 rived heart Shingles.	Gagers White Lime.
100,000 rived sap Shingles.	King's Windsor Wall Plaster.
250,000 machine made Shingles.	Atlas Portland Cement.
Walrus Rubber Roofing.	Asbestos and Fire Clay.

Red Brick, Fire Brick, Sewer Pipe, Chimney Pipe.

COAL. —— WOOD.

Write, or call for prices.

W. B. THORPE & CO.

Phone 789. Office, Foot Ann St.

aug 3 tf

Stevens' High-Grade Fire Brick

While the cost is a little higher, they give satisfaction and will last twice as long as the cheaper grade.

Also have in stock the Killian and Landrum Fire Brick.

ROGER MOORE'S SONS & COMPANY

aug 29-tf

Studebaker Flanders "20"

Wheel Base	100 inches.
Wheels	32 inches.
4 Cylinders	20 horse power
Magento Gas Lamps and Generator	$750.00

Orders taken now for January delivery.

THE AUTO COMPANY

WILMINGTON, N. C.

aug 29-tf

SANTAL-MIDY

These tiny CAPSULES are superior to Balsam of Copaiba, Cubebs or Injections, and RELIEVES in 24 HOURS the same diseases without inconvenience. MIDY

Sold by all druggists.

CHICHESTER S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.

Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, of 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

SMOKE

Cuban Blossom

CIGARS!

WHY ?

Because It is the Best Cigar for the Money.

H. L. VOLLERS

Wholesale Grocer.

Seed Rye and Oats!

50 bushels Seed Rye.
3,000 bushels Seed R. P. Oats. including North Carolina, Texas, Oklahoma.
3,000 pounds New Catch Mullets.
2,000 bundles New Arrow Ties.
1,500 Rolls Bagging.
2,000 Standard Cotton Ties.
3,000 bushels Peanuts. North Carolina, Virginia and Spanish.
3,500 kegs Nails—all sizes.
10,000 sacks Salt—Rock, Ice Cream, Table and Common.
Also a full line of other goods.
Let us have your orders.

D. L. GORE CO.

Wholesale Grocers and Importers.
Wilmington, N. C.

aug 29-tf

FRUIT JARS

You want them—We have them.

Order now, don't delay.

FRUIT JARS, all sizes and best make.

Can ship promptly. Season for preserving is now on us, and the good ladies will need them; don't delay, send your orders at once. Shipment made the day order is received.

J. W. MURCHISON & COMPANY.

aug 8 tf

No. 9119. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, County of New Hanover. We, the undersigned, Walter Scott Craig and O. R. Craig of Myrtle Grove Sound in the County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, Enter and lay claim to the following vacant and unappropriated land, subject to entry. viz: Lying and being in Federal Point Township, New Hanover County, in Myrtle Grove Sound, Bounded and described as follows: On the East side of the Sound opposite Kuhl's point, North of Deep Water point, and on the East side of the Channel, containing by estimation one acre more or less. Walter Scott Craig, O. R. Craig. Filed August 26th, 1909. John Haar, Register of Deeds and acting Entry Taker.
aug 27 30d**

Attractive Variable Route—Excursion Fares by the ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

The Atlantic Coast Line has issued a folder announcing attractive excursion fares to a number of Eastern resorts, including Niagara Falls, Montreal and Quebec, going and returning by the Atlantic Coast Line as far as Washington, but by widely variable routes north of that city, that is, a passenger can select almost any route from Washington to destination and return by almost any other regular route.

These rates open up a new method of traveling and will no doubt be largely patronized, as New York, Boston and nearly all the Eastern resorts can be reached by one of these "Variable Routes," or what may be more properly termed "Circular Tour," tickets especially as liberal stop-over privileges will be allowed.

One of the folders giving the routes in detail with rates and other information may be obtained by calling on or addressing the undersigned.

B. W. ARRINGTON,
Ticket Agent Atlantic Coast Line.
T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.
Wilmington, N. C.

Read the Business Locals

The Morning Star.

Saturday, September 4, 1909.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 4, 1909.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. Friday, Sept. 3rd:

Temperature at 8 A. M. 64 degrees; 8 P. M. 70 degrees; maximum 77 degrees; minimum 55 degrees; mean 66 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .33 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M. Thursday 5 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled Saturday and Sunday, with showers in west portion; warmer Saturday; cooler Sunday; moderate southern winds.

Port Calendar—September 4.

Sun Rises.....5:47 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:34 P. M.
Day's Length .....13 hrs. 4 min.
High water at Southport 11:10 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 2:10 P. M.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lumina—Labor Day.

J. M. Solky & Co.—Change of Weather.

Southern National Bank—A Check Book.

Business Locals.

Palace Market—Meats.
For Rent—Large Rooms.
Palace Market—Oysters.
For Rent—Furnished Room.
Palace Market—Native Beef.
James Owen Reilly—For Rent.
James Owen Reilly—For Rent.
Baraca Class—Ice Cream Supper.
Palace Market—Dressed Chicken.
Hanover B. & L. Assn.—New Series.
Southland Life Insurance Co.—Wanted.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Captain D. S. Bender will be present at the services of the Salvation Army Sunday and will make a bible talk at the evening service at 8 o'clock.

—A game of indoor baseball was played last evening at the Y. M. C. A. between the Boys' Department and the Juniors, resulting in a victory for the former by a score of 8 to 6.

—A Mazingo, a white man, United States prisoner confined in the county jail here in default of bond awainting the next term of Federal court, for trial on the charge of retailing is reported to be seriously ill of fever.

—Rev. A. J. Streater, colored, of Darlington, S. C., will preach at Ebenezer colored church at the services Sunday. He has accepted a call to this church and both white and olored people are invited to hear him.

—A deed was filed for record yesterday transferring from A. Turner and wife to A. H. Shepard, for $300 and other consirderations, 20.7 acres of land in Masonboro township, three miles from Wilmington, adjoining the lands of E. H. Davis and others.

—The steamer Wilmington will make two round trips to Southport Sunday leaving here in the morning at 9:15 A. M. and in the evening at 2:30 o'clock. This will be the regular Sunday trip with the exception of the 7:30 P. M. boat which has been making regular trips to the pier during the Summer.

—The Baraca Class of Immanuel Presbyterian church have arranged for a delightful ice cream supper and sociable for the evening of Thursday, September 16th. It will be an interesting event to which the public is invited. The proceeds will be used to furnish a room for the work of the class.

—The recently organized Colonial baseball team of this city will play the Tabernacle Rebekah class of Newbern in the latter city Monday afternoon. The line-up of the Colonials will be as follows: Zellers, c; Mintz, p; C. Carr, 1b; R. Carr, 2b; Jimmie Register, 3b; Genaust, ss; E. Farrow, rf; G. G. Smith, cf; J. W. Smith, lf.

—Mr. Hiram King delightfully entertained a number of his friends at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. King, 509 South Front street, Thursday night. Refreshments were served and the evening was enjoyably spent. Mr. King, who has been with the Willard Bag and Manufacturing Company for several years, will leave Monday for Durham, where he will enter Trinity College.

—The New Hanover Board of County Commissioner will meet Monday afternoon in regular monthly session. The jurors for the September term of Superior court will be drawn after which adjournment will probably be taken until Tuesday for the transaction of other business, Monday being a legal holiday. The Commissioners would not meet Monday but for the fact that the law requires that the jurors be selected on that time.

—By deed filed for record yesterday ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, assignee of the firm of Levi McMillan & Co., conveys to W. E. Perdew, for $2,897, "all the stock of goods, wares and merchandise, also all the book accounts chose in-action, evidences of indebtedness and all other claims and demands which the said firm conveyed" to Mr. Bryan by a deed of trust August 2, 1909. Also all the real estate and other property conveyed in the deed of trust to the assignee.

The Tug Sea King.

Some repairs have recently been made to the handsome tug Sea King, Capt. Edgar Williams, in the repainting of boat which makes it show up splendidly. The tug has been placed in readiness for the Fall and Winter season. Only recently the Sea King made a trip to Charleston, S. C., where the bottom was repainted.

A Wholesome Tonic
Horsford's Acid Phosphate
Quickly relieves that feeling of exhaustion due to summer heat, overwork or insomnia.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. A. J. Johnson, of Clear Run, Sampson county, is spending a few days in the city.

—Mr. J. D. Sessoms, of Atkinson, spent yesterday in the city on business.

—Mr. James L. Duffy is spending a few days in the city on a visit to relatives.

—Capt, R. P. Paddison, of Point Caswell, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

—Mrs. E. Piner and daughters have returned from a visit of several weeks to Beaufort and Morehead City.

—Mr. F. J. Duls, one of the clever Wilmington colony at the University of North Carolina, leaves today to resume his studies.

—Southport Herald of the 2nd: "Miss Carrie Mintz, of Wilmington, is spending several days here visiting Miss Minnie Pepper."

—Mr. C. D. Maffitt left yesterday afternoon for the western part of the State, where he will spend a week on a pleasure trip.

—Mrs. H. M. Drane, of Armour, N. C., is spending a few days in the city on a visit to Miss Julia R. James, on Third street.

—H. L. Stevens, Esq., of Warsaw, member of the law firm of Stevens, Beasley & Weeks, was here yesterday on professional business.

—Miss Maude Patterson and Mrs. M. H. Chamblee, of Greensboro, are visiting their sister, Mrs. D. T. Chasten, on church street, for a few days.

—Mr. Wentworth W. Peirce, of Warsaw, spent yesterday in the city on a business trip and was pleasantly greeted by his many Wilmington friends.

—Capt. John T. Patrick, of Wadesboro, who is pleasantly remembered by many friends in Wilmington, is spending a few days here and on the Sound.

—Rev. and Mrs. L. B. Boney, of Accomac, Va., are spending their vacation in North Carolina and are at present stopping with friends and relatives in Wilmington

—Mr. Walter Rutland, of Tarboro, and mother, Mrs. Mary Rutland, of this city, have been spending some time at Southport visiting Capt. and Mrs. William St. George.

—Rev. Dr. A. D. McClure, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, returned yesterday from his vacation spent in the Western part of the State, and will hold services both morning and evening at his church tomorrow.

—Mr. John S. Ramos, representing the Remington Typewriter Co., has returned from Richmond, where he has been recuperating from a severe illness with typhoid fever at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city.

—Among the guests at The Orton yesterday were John W. Gulledge, Esq., John T. Patrick, Misses Margie Gulledge and Mabel Patrick, Wadesboro; C. E. Clark, Bolton; I. R. Price, Warsaw; W. L. Williams, Jr., Raleigh; Wm. Walker Jones, Raleigh; Chas S. Wallace, Morehead City.

—Mr. A. A. Hergenrother, of the popular and ever-obliging night force at the postoffice, is off on his annual vacation. He left yesterday in one of his boats for White Lake, Bladen county, where he will spend ten days fishing. He was accompanied by Mr. Ed King and the two expect to have the time of their lives.

—Among yesterday's arrivals at The Colonial Inn were: M. K. Moore, Warsaw; J. Resenburg, New York; Miss Hattie Howell, Ahoskie, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shadle, Burgaw; L. V. Bradshaw, Chadbourn; J. C. Powell, Whiteville; Miss Alice McCullers, McCullers; H. V. Philips, Philadelphia; P. A. Brown, Ivanhoe.

SUNDAY SCHOOL OBSERVANCE

Nineteenth of September Will be "Sunday School Day" in This State.

The observance of "Sunday School Day," by the local Methodist church and generally throughout the State, Sunday, September 19th, will be featured by interesting exercises, particularly in this city. Mr. William B. North, Sunday school agent, has communicated with superintendents and pastors of churches and Sunday school in Wilmington and they have consented to set aside this day and direct their efforts toward making attractive programmes.

The reports from secretaries of various department will be read on this day and there will be a number of appropriate features. The pastors of churches have been requested to select a fitting Sunday School text and the collections taken will be for the benefit of the Sunday School Board of the North Carolina Conference. It is expected that there will also be special music. The programmes will be arranged within the next few days.

Arrested For Robbery.

Levy Isaah, colored, was arrested on Water street, between Market and Princess, at noon yesterday by Patrolman R. L. Rouse on the charge of breaking into the store of F. M. McCoy and complicity in a number of other robberies in and around Northwest, N. C., eight miles south of Wilmington. The store of Mr. McCoy was entered Wednesday night and a Winchester rifle and some dry goods taken. When arrested Isiah was wearing a pair of shoes and a hat which he admitted he had stolen from a negro at Northwest. He said that the rifle was taken from Mr. McCoy's store by another negro, whose name was given to the officers. In default of bond the negro was lodged in prison.

At The Bijou Today.

The Bijou has another spendid Saturday programme to offer its patrons today. The titles of the feature pictures are "They Would Elope" and "Jones' Burglar," two subjects that are always interesting. The former will be found particularly interesting for on this occasion the laugh is on Cupid, that chubby archer miscalculating in the arrangement of the romantic programme. The crowds are increasing at the Bijou with the return of cooler weather and large audience at each performance is expected today.

THE CAUSE OF PELLAGRA

Work Proposed by Durham Physicians Done by Italian Two Years Ago. Injustice Done Western Corn—Patient.

The Associated Press dispatch sent out from Durham Tuesday night to the effect that physicians of that city had begun experiments to determine, if possible, the cause of pellagra was read with a great deal of interest by physicians and laymen in this city. The dispatch stated that an examination of the blood of a powerful negro, who had the disease in an aggravated form, revealed a distinct organism and that specimens were sent to Richmond and to Johns Hopkins University for more careful analysis. It is the purpose of the Durham physicians, in the event the germ is found, to inoculate some animal and wage a campaign on the germ theory.

A Star representative yesterday afternoon obtained an interview with a well known local physician regarding the cause of pellagra. He said that the work which the Durham physicians propose to do now was done by Prof. Guido Tizzoni in Italy in 1907. He isolated from the blood of a patient suffering from acute pellagra the specific germ which was able to produce the disease in rabbits and guinea pigs, which was unquestionably identical with the disease in man. The peculiarity of this germ was that it resisted a temperature of nearly 200 degrees F. for one hour without being damaged. The same experiment has been tried in North Carolina, but the physicians are not yet ready to make a report of their work to the public.

In speaking of the corn theory which has been advanced by a majority of the physicians studying the disease, he said: "It has by no means been proved that corn is the cause of the disease. The number of victims of this disease who have never eaten corn food is rolling up every day. If the germ is contained in the corn it is easy to understand how the very imperfect cooking, which is so commonly found in certain sections, would be insufficient to destroy it. It is absurd to condemn Western corn when so many of the victims of the disease have never eaten anything but corn grown by themselves and ground at local water mills. This is emphasized by the report of Dr. McKee of the outbreak of pellagra at the State Hospital in Raleigh, where nothing but their own home-grown and water ground corn is ever used."

Speaking of the report that wheat flour is being adulterated with corn meal the physician stated that if this was correct it will be very difficult indeed for the medical men to determine whether or not corn is responsible for the disease. The only way to ascertain whether corn is responsible for the disease is from the number of patients who have never eaten corn meal in any form.

"It is to be noted," said the physician, "that in the American pellagra the victims do not come from any one class; all sorts and conditions of people have succumbed to the disease. In Italy it is peculiarly one of poverty and wretchedness."

The disease usually makes its appearance first in eruptions of exposed parts of the skin, very similar to sunburns in the beginning. The skin later exfoliates. The skin lesions are always the same. That is, an eruption on one hand is duplicated on the other. Then the mouth becomes sore, similar to salivation. This is followed by various digestive disturbances, nervous disturbances and finally mental derangement, exhaustion and death. The order of appearance in all these symptoms can be reversed. This is very likely explained by the fact that the skin eruptions are often so inconspicuous as to be entirely overlooked and the patient may go for a year or even longer without it being possible to definitely diagnose the disease. The eruptions usually appear in the Spring and disappear when cold weather sets in and re-appear the following Spring.

SUIT AGAINST CITY

The Old Rock Quarry Matter Again in The Courts.

The old rock quarry matter was again brought to the fore yesterday when a civil action was started in the Superior Court entitled Louisa G. Wright and Alice Holmes Wright, and Wm. A. Wright and Sallie London Wright, by their guardian Louisia G Wright, against the City of Wilmington. The complaint has not yet been filed, but it is understood that the suit grows out of differences as to the compromise effected at the April term of court entitled Monk vs. City of Wilmington. The plaintiffs in the action started yesterday will allege, it is understood, that in the settlement of the case, the city declined to pay interest on the moneys held in trust by the municipality pending the controversy over the ownership of the property, which was being operated by the city on a royalty basis. The plaintiffs in the action yesterday will ask to be paid the interest on the amount held up, something like $1,200. They will also ask for damages in the sum of $2,000, alleging that the city failed to perform its contract to leave the old rock quarry land in good condition, whereas it has been left torn up and in deep holes. Messrs. Rountree & Carr represent the plaintiffs in the action just instituted.

Funeral of Little Son.

The funeral of James Burriss, the four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Burriss, whose death occurred at the family residence on South Fourth street Thursday afternoon, was held from the Church of the Good Shepherd at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, conducted by the rector, Rev. Thos. P. Noe. There were present a number of relatives and friends. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

Benefit Concert
and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

Magnificent Showings
—OF—
Fall Silks
Enchantingly Pretty Weaves, Radiant With Autumnal Colorings

Beautiful as the mountain side when the Autumn sun shines on the trees and grasses of dull brown, green and gold, are the new silks for the coming season.

Rich messalines, taffetas and rough effects and every weave which Fashion has declared worth while is here at a tempting price. Silks which are correct in every detail.

There is a lot of humbuggery about silks. Many a beautiful sheen conceals a coating of lead, to give weight, which causes the fabric to cut with very little wear.

When you buy our silks you buy absolutely the best quality to be had. That is why among women of this vicinity our silks have such a recognized standard.

Choose the silks for the new dress from among these enticing values.

Extra Interest will Center in these $1.25 Messaline Silks, this week at $1.00.

Full yard wide in all the new shades. Exceptionally good value to start the season.

Trimmings to match are also here.

These consist of braids and Persian net bands. You'll like the quality.

Fruit Jars all sizes.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE

Few Mosquito Canopies left at a bargain.

THE FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CAR FARE.

au 22-tf.

RECORDER'S COURT YESTERDAY.

Presided Over by Justice Harriss in Absence of Recorder.

In the absence of Recorder Furlong, who was detained at Carolina Beach packing up his household effects preparatory to moving his family back to the city, Justice George Harriss presided over yesterday's session of the Recorder's court.

Heywood Newkirk, colored, was found guilty of carrying a pistol concealed on his person and was fined $25 and costs. He was arrested Thursday night by Patrolman Frank George at the home of a negro woman, who made complaint to the officer. Newkirk claimed that the pistol did not belong to him and that he did not know he had it until the arrival of the officer.

Jim Robinson, colored, was convicted of the charge of vagrancy and fined $10 and taxed with costs, in default of which he will go to the county roads. The case against Jim Marine, a white man, charged with stealing a pistol from Jack Watters, sent up from Justice Harriss' court, was continued until Tuesday, when Recorder Furlong will hear the case.

Tom Bowden, Lawrence Swainson, Louis Williams and Joe Herring, colored youths, were arraigned on the charge of entering the house of Eva Davis several nights ago and stealing $24 in money and a number of articles from the house. W. P. Mangum Turner, Esq., represented Louis Williams and he called attention of the court to defects in the warrant which were remedied. It developed that the officers had failed to summon a material witness, Eva Davis, and the Acting Recorder decided to continue all the cases until today except the one against Louis Williams. Louis was able to prove an alibi and the case was dismissed. Eva Davis will be summoned to appear in court today against the defendants.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Announcement by Wilmington Pastors For Services Tomorrow.

First Presbyterian church, preaching Sunday 11 A. M. by Rev. J. M. Plowden. No evening service. Sunday school 9:55 A. M. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday 6 P. M. Strangers invited to all services.

Ensign Williams announces the Salvation Army service in the hall over the Tidewater Power Company's offices, No. 27 North Front street, for tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. Sunday School will be held at 11 A. M. Grove meeting at 4 P. M. at Delgado. Capt. D. S. Bender will make a Bible talk at the evening service. The public is invited.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner of Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor: Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M., and members are requested to remain for preaching. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights at 8 P. M. Brotherhood Tuesday nights at 8 P. M. and Ladies' Aid Society Thursday nights at 8 P. M. Everybody invited and welcomed.

Will be Tried in Newbern.

John Wilson and Ed. Brockingham, colored trainmen, arrested Thursday afternoon by Special Agent H. Y. Scarborough, of the Atlantic Coast Line, and Constable W. B. Savage, on the charge of robbing box cars at Newbern, will be taken to that city for trial. Mr. Scarborough left yesterday for Newbern to secure warrants and the papers are expected to reach here today.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY
Mothers who value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Cure Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores, 25c. *Don't accept any substitute.* A trial package will be sent FREE to any mother who will address Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

Felt carpet paper at Gaylord's, 95 cents a roll. **

CARRIERS ARE COMING.

Meeting Here Labor Day Will be an Interesting One—Crowd.

(Communicated.)

To the Rural Letter Carriers of Eastern North Carolina:

You are all invited to be in Wilmington Labor Day, September 6th and to meet at Postmaster Wallace's office at 10 A. M. Mr. Wallace is going to have a pail of ice water and gourd to drink it out 'en, and you all know we don't get that good every day fer when we are thirsty on the "root" we take bay-water, butter milk, cider, grape juice and anything that will do to quence thirst that is offered. We are going to ask Mr. Wallace to make a talk on that $20,000,000 annual deficit and if rural parcels post won't help to wipe it out.

There will be no set nor special programme for the occasion, but Brother R. F. Gore, of New Hanover, is going to tell us how much cheaper it is to run his kerosene buggy than it was to feed old "Charley" and how much extra time he gets by coming in early. Brother Bill Robbins, of Phoenix, way over in Brunswick, has done and bought him a motorcycle and he is going to make a five minutes speech on its advantages over the old time way of horse and buggy.

Brother Sam Meares, of Clarkton, Bladen county, is going to show up at this meeting and explain his absence from our last gathering and tell us something nice about those pretty Bladen girls and the fine crops over there. Brother Dan Ward, of Brunswick, knows a few lines on the same subject and will "narate" them in his happy style. Brother Jim Fussell, our chaplain, of Rose Hill, Duplin county, will bring us the latest news from "Purgatory and Pin-hook" and will be supplemented by talks from Brothers Luke Bradshaw and Jerome, who will tell of their "ups and downs" Brother Luther Carr, of Wallace, is expected to tell us what he knows of automatic gates, their superiority, etc. Brother Barden, of Magnolia, will enlighten us on the subject of the useful and the beautiful that he daily encounters at Beaver-dam, Maxwell, Barbecue, Persimmon and little Pole-cat.

Brother Joe Wilson, of Warsaw, is coming down to tell us he thinks the best way to carry the mail is with the horse and a light running wagon made by Brother Frank Carroll, of Turkey, who is also expected to be on hand. The Burgaw carriers are expected and will tell us of the bad roads. Carrier No. 2, of Rocky Point will tell us how his "lass is giving him honey."

Brother Willis Wilson, of Warsaw, will be on hand and inform the other carriers that he likes the old time way best of all, that is with a good horse and top buggy, so he can take up a pretty girl to ride when he's off duty and sometimes when he is on and a big rain is coming and the thunder and lightning threatens. Brother Sandlin, of Verona, Onslow county, will tell us of the fat September mullets and what the "sad sea waves are saying, as he passes along."

Brother Leslie Darl, of Kenansville, will be on hand and tell what he daily sees in Hell swamp, Dark-branch and how the pretty Goshen girls treat him and how "plum pudding" tastes.

Brother Cooper, of Faison, will tell us about "how to make clever patrons," and how much butter milk and melons he gets daily.

Finally brethren, be on hand then and there; oysters are being fattened for the occasion. Old man Nathan is fencing them up in the pen, so all come and we promise you a good time.

E. D. PEARSALL,
Correspond'ng Secretary, North Carolina Rural Letter Carriers' Assn.

Sunday, September 5th.

Steamer Wilmington leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Fare 25 cents round trip. **

Benefit Concert
and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

THE OPENING NIGHT.

Big Production at New Academy of Music This Evening.

Wilmington's theatrical season of 1909-10 will formally open tonight and the opening this year is of decidedly live interest and of much importance, as it will present to Wilmington playgoers a theatre that is practically brand new. The playhouse will also be as pretty as any in North Carolina and will really prove a great surprise to those who have not kept up with the work. The interior, both in equipment and appearance, is thoroughly up-to-date. To christen such a house the management of the New Academy of Music considers itself exceedingly fortunate in having obtained Eugene Walter's big Broadway hit, "The Wolf," which will be presented with a mass of beautiful scenery, and incidental music rendered by an orchestra, the largest and best the Academy has ever had.

The press of Virginia and North Carolina has highly praised "The Wolf" and it is bound to receive an enthusiastic reception here.

The sale of seats commenced at the Academy's down-street boxoffice, at the Crystal Palace, yesterday morning and will continue there until 6 o'clock this afternoon.

STIEFF'S GRAND OPENING.

Handsome Remodeled Piano Store on Princess Street Soon Ready.

The store occupied by the Stieff Piano Company in the Bonitz Building, on Princess street, has been completely remodeled and fitted up in most elaborate style and within a few days Manager Wilson will announce the date for his grand Fall opening.

The interior has been re-arranged and in so doing considerably more space has been made. The walls have been beautifully finished and with the new electrical fixtures and furnishings will be one of the most handsome stores in the city. The office will be moved from the back of the store near the front and in the interior an elaborately furnished parlor in which will be on display all makes of Stieff pianos will be arranged. Manager Wilson is making preparations to hold the opening between the 20th and 30th of this month, when the public will be invited.

INLAND WATERWAY SURVEY.

Surveyors Now on Proposed Route From Southport to Little River.

The inland waterways survey over the proposed route from Southport to Little River, S. C., began at the former place last Wednesday. The corps of Government surveyors will be in that immediate vicinity for several weeks and the houseboat which is to be used by them arrived last Monday and was tied up at the Government dock. This will be used to good advantage at various places on the survey.

It will be recalled that this is one of the important routes mapped out in the inland waterway courses and is being carried on under the supervision of Capt. Earl I. Brown. It will likely require several months to complete this work.

Will Add Another Teacher.

Prof. C. L. Padgett, president of the Southern Business College, is here from Winston-Salem getting his school started off for the Fall term which began Wednesday. He announces that the enrollment is much larger than was anticipated and as a consequence another teacher will have to be sent here. He has selected Mr. J. H. Whicker, who has been a teacher in the Winston-Salem school for some time, and he will assist in the shorthand and commercial departments.

Act Quickly
if you have a sudden chill—if you have colic, cramp or diarrhoea—don't wait a minute. Take a teaspoonful of Perry Davis' Painkiller in half a glass of hot water or milk. You'll be on the road to quick recovery. Have this tried remedy on hand for immediate use. Being prepared is half the battle. New size bottles 35c., also in 50c. size

SUCCUMBS TO PELLAGRA

Mr. J. E. Heath, Prominent Citizen of Waxhaw, Died Here Last Night. Body Taken to Monroe For Burial.

Mr. J. E. Heath, of Waxhaw, Union county, one of the most prominent young business men in that section of the State, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital in this city at 10:30 o'clock last night of pellagra of which disease he had been a sufferer for two or three years. The remains were taken to the funeral parlors of Mr. James F. Woolvin and prepared for burial. Accompanied by Capt. W. C. Heath, of Monroe, brother of the deceased, the body was taken on the 3 o'clock Seaboard train this morning to Monroe, where the funeral and interment will occur at 11 o'clock Sunday morning.

Mr. Heath was 27 years old and is survived by a wife and one child, three brothers, Captain W. C. Heath, of Monroe; Mr. A. C. Heath, of Albemarle; Mr. F. L. Heath, of San Antonio, Tex., and four sisters. He was a member of the Waxhaw lodge Knights of Pythias and the burial will be with the honors of that order.

Mr. Heath had been in declining health for the past three years. For the past year his condition has been regarded as serious. He had consulted eminent specialists, taken sanitorium treatment, gone to famous springs and sought the influence of other climates in the hope that he would be benefitted. It was only recently that his case was diagnosed as pellagra. He was seen then by several physicians all of whom pronounced it a typical case of pellagra. Last week he was brought to the James Walker Memorial Hospital here by Dr. Ezzell, of Waxhaw. His condition was regarded as dangerous and his brother, Capt W. C. Heath, arrived a few days ago to be at his bedside. In places his skin was colored, his mouth was intensely sore and this was accompanied by the usual nervous derangement. He was unconscious for some time before death. It was realized early in the day yesterday that Mr. Heath could not survive the night and his relatives were apprised of this fact.

Mr. Heath, like many others who have recently been afflicted with this disease, had never been an eater of corn food in any form. This fact strengthens the contention of some of the local physicians that the disease is probably not caused from corn food.

CITY BOARD OF HEALTH

Quorum Not Present and Meeting Postponed to Later Date.

The regular monthly meeting of the City Board of Health was not held yesterday afternoon as was announced owing to the absence of a quorum. Those present were Dr. Joseph Akerman, city superintendent of health; Dr. T. S. Burbank and Mr. Joseph D. Smith. The other members of the board were out of the city.

The report of Dr. Thos. B. Carroll, meat and dairy inspector, for the month of August showed that he had made 32 inspections of dairies and dairy farms and with one exception the sanitary conditions and health of cattle were found to be good. He made ten tests of milk for butter fats and in every instance they came up to the required standard. One applicant for sale of milk was passed upon, permit No. 73 being granted. The permit of Jos. Wood, No. 39, was revoked on account of the unsanitary conditions of his barn and cow lot, his attention having been called to the matter several times. During the month 455 post examinations of slaughtered meats were made as follows: 133 cattle and 322 sheep. One carcas was condemned for bruises and contusions and the part of another for being dirty, both of these being country slaughtered.

The health department reported 72 births, 27 whites and 45 colored; 50 deaths, 18 white and 32 colored.

The meeting of the board will either be held today or some time next week. There is no special business to be considered at the meeting.

PLEASED WITH ROUTE

Officials Say Southbound Will be Completed in Year.

The following from Thursday's Wadesboro Messenger and Intelligencer with reference to the visit to that place of the officials of the Atlantic Coast Line and Norfolk and Western which roads will build the Southbound railroad from Winston-Salem to Wadesboro, will be read with interest here:

"The party left Winston-Salem Monday morning in automobiles and rode over the entire right of way of the Southbound. Messrs. Emerson and Johnson, who had never gone over the line before, expressed themselves as being highly gratified with the appearance of the country through which the Southbound will run.

"A number of Wadesboro gentlemen met the party here and extended the courtesies of the town. To a representative of the Messenger and Intelligencer President Emerson stated that the road would be built and in operation, in all probability, by the 1st of next September. Mr. Emerson also stated to the M. & I man that the Coast Line would use its present route through Morven, but that it would be necessary to dig a deep cut where the main street of the town now crosses the railroad."

Go With a Rush.

The demand for that wonderful Stomach, Liver and Kidney cure, Dr. King's New Life Pills—is astounding. R. R. Bellamy says he never saw the like. It's because they never fail to cure sour stomach, constipation, indigestion, biliousness, jaundice, sick headache, chills and malaria. Only 25c.

Benefit Concert

and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

SAILORS WIN AGAIN

(Continued From First Page.)

Score by Innings.

Greensboro	..	..	000	000	000	0	4	3
Wilmington	..	..	000	010	00x	1	7	4

Summary—Two-base mits, Sharp and Kite; sacrifice hits, Walsh, Nichols, Sharp; stolen bases, Sisson, Anthony and Kite; bases on balls, off Ridgeway 2, Sexton 1; struck out, by Ridgeway 5, Sexton 4; time 1:35; umpire Watts; attendance 500.

Field Day Exercises.

Field day exercises will be held at League Park this afternoon, beginning at 3 o'clock, and the contests will be open for members of both the Greensboro and Wilmington teams. The contests will be interesting and exciting and as no additional admission will be charged it is expected the fans will go to the grounds early this afternoon. The following is the schedule of events and the prizes offered:

No. 1. Long distance throwing—First prize, one pair Clapp's shoes, donated by Boylan & Hancock; second prize, one box of cigars, by Struthers' Tobacco Company.

No. 2. Fungo hitting—First prize, one Ormulu gold clock, by George Honnet; second prize, one pair of tennis oxfords, by Solomon's Shoe Store.

No. 3. Accurate throwing—First prize, Stetson hat or silk umbrella, by J. W. Fleet Co.; second prize, 500 Piedmont cigarettes, by Gerken Tobacco Co.

No. 4. Fastest to first base—First prize, one safety razor, by Murchison Hardware Co.; second prize, pocket knife, by R. H. Gwaltney.

No. 5. Fastest circling bases—First prize, one Waltham fountain pen, by R. C. DeRosset; second prize, one negligee shirt, by Munson & Co.

DELIGHTFUL SOCIABLE

Given at Home of Mr. C. F. Seitter to Mark Departure of Son.

On Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. C. F. Seitter, a reception was given to mark the departure of Mr. Carl Seitter, who is to leave home soon to commence theological studies, necessary to the Lutheran ministry. The reception was also to welcome Mrs. Shoulders, of New Jersey, who came South to say farewell to Carl and to visit her relatives and friends.

The affair which included dancing and singing, also delicious ice cream supper, was marked with that fine hospitality for which Mr. and Mrs. Seitter are noted. Mr. Charles Richters, Sr., of this city, was called on for a speech, responding in his usual happy style and ably filled the bill as orator of the affair.

Among those present were: Mr. Charles Richters, Mrs. E. Shoulders, Mrs. F. Seitter, Miss Mamie Seitter, Mr. J. Seitter and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. Branch, Miss M. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. G. Lewis, Mr. W. Lane and Miss H. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Horne, Mr. and Mrs. Herbst, Miss M. Seitter, Mr. Dan Motte, Mr. Murray, Miss Murray, Mrs. Conway, Miss Conway, Mrs. Williams, Miss M. Smith, Mr. C. Richters, Jr., Mr. A. Wilder, Messrs. H. and J. Wright, Mr. Vanness, Mr. Linga, Mr. H. Webb, Mr. G. Jackson, Mr. C. F. Seitter and family.

IN HONOR OF MR. SEITTER

Sociable Given by Castle Haynes Road Union Sunday School.

An interesting and pleasant sociable was given last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seitter by the Castle Haynes Union Sunday School, in honor of Mr. Carl Seitter, one of the original members, who leaves this week for Mt. Pleasant College, where he will study for the ministry.

The sociable was attended by about 150 people composed of members of the Sunday school and friends of the young man. During the evening he was presented with a handsome student's bible by Mr. H. G. Bowden, assistant secretary of the Y. M. C. A.

Another interesting feature of the gathering was the dedication of the new Sunday school room to be known as the Y. M. C. A. room and for the use of the young men of the community. Mrs. W. A. Lineker, is superintendent of the Sunday school. The evening was most pleasantly spent and Mr. Seitter was the recipient of the best wishes of his many friends for success in his studies.

LAD TO REFORMATORY

Youthful Forger Will be Carried to Richmond, Va., Today.

Before Acting Recorder Harriss yesterday afternoon Paul Neal, the 17-year-old son of Mr. J. S. Neal, of Mullins, S. C., arrested Wednesday evening on the charge of forgery, waived a preliminary hearing through counsel, Herbert McClammy, Esq. Bond was fixed at $50 for the lad's appearance here at the next term of Superior court. This was given with Mr. Thos. E. Cooper as surety. This probably ends the matter so far as the lad is concerned as it is not thought probable that the prosecution will be pushed. It is understood that Mr. J. S. Neal, father of the youth, has arranged to send the young man to a reformatory in Richmond, Va., and that Patrolman Applebury will leave with him for that place this morning.

NEW STEAMER COMING.

Vessel to Ply Between Wilmington and Little River, S. C.

The new coastwise steam tug recently purchased by the Hammer Lumber Company to be used in passenger and freight service between this city and Little River, S. C., will be here within the next few days. The crew, it will be recalled, left here several days ago to bring her around from Charleston, where she was purchased. Capt. Jacobs, who has for a number of years had charge of the tug Fawn, another of the company's boats, is now master of the steamer, which is about the size of the steamer Madeleine.

Nursing Mothers and Malaria.

The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and children, 50c.

WOMAN SHOT BY HUSBAND

Mack C. Faircloth Shoots His Wife Three Times—Not Expected to Recover — Faircloth Being Pursued by Officers.

Mack C. Faircloth, colored, who conducts a restaurant in Market alley, near Front street, shot and probably fatally wounded his wife, Martha Faircloth, at their home, corner 14th and Marstellar streets, shortly after 11 o'clock last night. Faircloth fired three times at his wife, each of the bullets taking effect, one entering the chest, near the heart, one in the back of the neck and the third in the left side of the face.

She was carried to the James Walker Memorial Hospital, where it was stated at 2 o'clock this morning that she had only a slim chance of recovery. An operation had not been decided upon at that time, but it was stated that that course might be pursued before morning.

The police have been unable so far to learn any of the particulars of the affair.

Mounted Officers Frank George and T. M. Hall were on the scene shortly after the shots were fired. They saw the negro running and set out in hot pursuit. The negro, who was well in advance of the officers, ran into a strip of woods a short distance from his house and was soon hid from view. Assistant Chief of Police Burnett and Patrolman M. C Gray left the City Hall as soon as the matter was reported there and with the other officers are making a thorough search for the negro.

ANOTHER CLEVER ACT ADDED.

Crystal Palace Secures Well Known Comedian For Opening.

The management of the Crystal Palace is so enthusiastic over the theatre's opening Labor Day, that yesterday even another act was engaged for the already large and splendid bill. A contract was made by wire with Reggie Mee, the well known and popular little comedian. Mee has made thousands laugh and his services are always in demand by the larger vaudeville circuits. So his appearance at the Palace next week will be a notable one and will, no doubt, be hugely enjoyed. The first performance will be given at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

New Forms Are Received.

The city health department has received from the secretary of the State Board of Health in Raleigh the new forms of death certificate and burial or removal permit, which will be used hereafter. The health officers are required to make a carbon copy of all the death certificates and on the 5th of each month forward them to the secretary of the State Board of Health. Heretofore only a brief record of the deaths were required. The permits are so worded that they can be used either for burial or removal, while heretofore they were separate. The health officers say they like the new forms much better.

AMERICAN YACHT WINS AGAIN.

Joyette Takes Honors on Fourth Series for Taft-Draper Cups.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Marblehead, Mass., Sept. 3.—Today's International Race, the fourth of the series for the President Taft and Governor Draper cups, was won by the Joyette, owned by Commodore W. H. Childs, of the Bensonhurst Yacht Club, of Brooklyn, in the presence of the President of the United States, Secretary of the Navy, and a host of other on-lookers. The President witnessed the contest from the bridge of the United States steam yacht Sylph, and several members of his family were with him.

The Hevella, the German challenger, led the fleet of six yachts at the end of the first trip over the windward and leeward course, while the Joyette was an even three minutes behind her, in fourth place.

Going out to windward for the second time the Joyette split tacks with the fleet and took a long hitch to the southeast while the other racers stood in shore on the port tack. Joyette, sailing off by herself, ran into the fresh breeze that her skipper, W. W. Swan had scented before completing the first round. Had one of the German boats followed the request of the committee to chase any American boat that split tacks the result might have been different.

ALL JUMPED ON THE UMPIRE.

Row Over Championship Game in Wisconsin.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Lacross, Wis., Sept. 3.—Umpire Mack, of the Wisconsin-Minnesota league was viciously attacked today by Duluth players in the deciding game of the championship.

Pitcher Dauss, of Duluth, was ordered out of the game for objecting to decisions on balls and strikes in the first inning and almost the entime team of visitors immediately assaulted the umpire who was knocked down, beaten and jumped upon. Police and the Locrosse players rescued the umpire.

Several members of the Duluth team were ejected from the grounds and the game proceeded with a revised line-up.

The general strike that began early in August at Stockholm seems now to be on its last legs and it is said in authoritative quarters yesterday that there will be a general resumption of work September 6th.

A Hurry Up Call.

Quick! Mr. Druggist—Quick!—A box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve—Here's a quarter—For the love of Moses, hurry! Baby's burned himself terribly—Johnnie cut his foot with the axe—Mamie's scalded—Pa can't walk from piles—Billie has boils—and my corns ache. She got it and soon cured all the family. It's the greatest healer on earth. Sold by R. R. Bellamy.

DIRECTORS CAUSE LOSSES.

Probing Into Affairs of Trust Company of the Republic.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 3.—Thirteen former directors of the Trust Company of the Republic are held responsible in a decision made public today by Justice Van Kirk, for losses sustained by the trust company through loans made in 1902 by its president, Daniel Leroy Dresser, from the company's funds on securities of the United States Shipbuilding Company and for which restitution to the Trust Company was asked in a suit brought by Charles H. Kavanaugh, a stockholder, against the directors. The action was tried before Justice Van Kirk in this village during the greater part of June and July.

Justice Van Kirk holds that the defendant directors, Perry Belmont, Charles D. Marvin, James McMahon, Thomas Crimmins, Charles W. Wetmore, William D. Baldwin, Ballard McCall, Charles F. Brooker, George J. Gould, Elbridge G. Snow, Herbert L. Satterlee, George C. Boldt and Stuyvesant Fish, failed to perform properly their duties as directors. The judgment awarded will, with interest, reach about $350,000, according to the attorney for the plaintiffs.

DETECTIVE IS ARRESTED.

Charged With Perjury in Securing Evidence.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 3.—W. W. Kenny, a detective, who has been employed to secure evidence against violators of the liquor law, was arrested late today on the charge of perjury The warrant was sworn out by W. K. Triplett against whom the detective preferred charges of selling liquor.

Kenny, who has worked in a similar capacity for the National Anti-Saloon League, has been at work in this city for several weeks and it is claimed has secured damaging proof against 93 near beer saloonists. He has joined practically every "social" club in this city in his efforts to detect illicit sales of liquor.

BOLD ROBBERY AT SPENCER

Young Man Caught Red Handed and Money is Found.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Spencer, N. C., Sept. 3.—M. J. Izenhauer, of this place, was awakened last night by a noise in his room and upon striking a match saw Fred Glosson, a young man well known in this community standing before him. Glosson immediately blew out the match and leaped from a window.

Glosson was pursued and captured by a policeman. Fifty dollars of Isenhauer's money was found on Glosson's person.

WARM WIRELETS.

A theatrical manager of New York sent a cable message last night to Dr. Cook offering him $250,000 for 250 lectures on his experiences in the far North.

The machinists and blacksmiths of the general shops of the S. A. L. Railway at Portsmouth who went on strike have entered into negotiations with the railway management through a special grievance committee and the strike appears to be in course of adjustment.

In a collision yesterday in the East river between the tug boat R. G. Little and two transfer floats owned by the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, John D. O'Donnell, of Bayone, N. J., a deck hand on the Little, was instantly killed, and John Lavin, of Jersey City, was probably fatally scalded.

Judge Kegley, sitting yesterday at Tazewell, Va., refused to grant the injunction asked for by Dr. Bogle, to prevent the New River, Holston and Western Railroad from passing through his farm in Bland county, Va., and the construction, which was halted by temporary injunction 10 days ago, will now proceed. This will be the first road to enter the county.

The attempt of one vessel to get by another while both were proceeding northward through Pollock Rip Slue yesterday near Chatham, Mass., was apparently responsible for the collision between the two which followed. The vesse'ls concerned were the four-masted schooner Pendleton: bound from Philadelphia for Portland and Rachael W. Stevens, bound from Newport News, for Boston.

Benefit Concert

and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

Gibbon's Great History of Rome.

Although the idea was conceived when Gibbon was twenty-seven, he was thirty-one before he set himself seriously at work to study his material. At thirty-six he began the composition, and he was thirty-nine when, in February, 1776, the first quarto volume was published. The history had an immediate success. "My book" he wrote, "was on every table; the historian was crowned by the taste or fashion of the day." The first edition was exhausted in a few days, a second was printed 1776, and next year a third. The second and third volumes, which ended the history of the western empire, were published in 1781, and seven years later the three volumes devoted to the eastern empire saw the light. The last sentence of the work, written in the summer house at Lausanne, is; "It was among the ruins of the capitol that I first conceived the idea of a work which has amused and exercised nearly twenty years of my life, and which, however inadequate to my own wishes, I finally deliver to the curiosity and candor of the public."—Scribner's Magazine.

Useful Diversions.

There is an affection in every employment, and it gives the spirit energy and keeps the mind intent upon its work or study. This, if it be not relaxed, becomes dull, and its earnestness flags—as salt that has lost its savor, so that it has no pungency or relish; or as a bended bow, which, unless it be unbent, loses the power that it derives from its elasticity. Just so the mind, kept from day to day in the same ideas, without variety. So the eyes, when they look only at one object or continually upon one color. For, to look continually at a thing which is black, or continually at red or at white, destroys the sight. Thus if one looks continually at the snow the sight is destroyed, but it is enlivened if he looks in succession or at the same time upon many colors. Every form delights by its varieties—as a garland of roses of different colors arranged in beautiful order. Hence it is that the rainbow is more charming than the light itself.—Emanuel Swedenborg.

The King of Rome.

To teach his son obedience to nursery rules Napoleon gave strict orders that he never be admitted to his apartments if he came thither alone. One morning the little king of Rome came trotting along the corridor and, looking up at the tall officer on guard, imperiously ordered: "Open the door for me. I want to see papa."

The officer, true to his instructions, answered gently, but firmly, "Sire, I cannot open the door to your majesty."

"Why not?" demanded the little autocrat. "I am the little king."

At the gentle reminder, "But your majesty is all alone," the golden haired cherub seemed somewhat nonplused, but, his governess appearing a moment later, he seized her hand and, thus protected, stamped his tiny foot and cried: "Open the door! The king wishes it!"

This time, all being in order, the tall officer flung the door wide open, solemnly announcing, "The king of Rome."

President Taft was yesterday requested by letter to address the Virginia State Baptist Association on the occasion of its annual session in Portsmouth, November 18th, upon which date the President comes to the Inland Waterways Congress at Norfolk.

Fancy ducks in blues and reds for children's school dresses, 12 and 15 cent values at Gaylord's, 10 cents. **

Indications of Catarrh of the Head.

The symptoms of Catarrh of the head are: discharge from the nasal passage, mucous dropping into the throat, pains under the cheek bones, severe headache on taking cold, dizziness and confusion of the senses. Catarrh of the head is a stubborn disease and hard to cure, but Rydale's Catarrh Remedy will cure nine cases in ten. You risk nothing in using this preparation, as every bottle is sold on a guarantee. It is the only remedy in the world that is used both locally in the nasal passages and taken internally. Sold and guaranteed by Robert R. Bellamy.

Entire line of untrimmed Summer hats reduced to 50 cents each. A few trimmed hats at $1.50 each. French Millinery Parlors. se 2 2t

Benefit Concert

and souvenir dance at Lumina Tuesday night. Last night of greater orchestra. **

STRAIN TOO GREAT

Hundreds of Wilmington Readers Find Daily Toil a Burden.

The hustle and worry of business men.

The hard work and stooping of workmen.

The woman's household cares.

Are to great a strain on the kidneys.

Backache, headache, sideache,

Kidney troubles, urinary troubles follow.

A Wilmington citizen tells you how to cure them all.

James Hansley, 309 N. Fifth street., Wilmington, N. C., says: "For some time my back and kidneys troubled me, no doubt due to constant standing. I had dull, nagging backaches and a sharp pain across my loins. I could not stoop or lift without having twinges throughout my body. The kidney secretions contained a heavy sediment and were too frequent in passage. When I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box from Robert R. Bellamy's drug store and used them as directed. In a few days the backache and other annoyances ceased and have not returned since. I give this testimonial in the hopes that some other sufferer from kidney trouble may be benefited thereby."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name — Doan's — and take no other.

Special Low Rates Via Seaboard Air Line to

Chicago, Ill.

account

BANKERS' CONVENTION.

Sept. 13th to 18th.

Account the above occasion the Seaboard announces exceedingly low rates. Rates from some of the principal points in North Carolina shown below:

Raleigh	$27.45
Oxford	27.30
Durham	27.30
Henderson	27.30
Hamlet	27.70
Wilmington	30.05

Tickets on sale Sept. 10th, 11th and 12th, good returning to leave Chicago up to including night of September 20.

The Seaboard has excellent double daily service via Petersburg and Norfolk & Western, Richmond and C. & O. or via Washington and Pennsylvania or B. & O.

For additional information, relative to rates, schedules, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to your local agent or address the undersigned.

C. H. GATTIS,
District Passenger Agent.
Raleigh, N. C.

The Atlantic Cafe

Opposite Union Depot.

Most conveniently located for the traveling men, for serving Quick Lunches, Steaks, Chops, Fish, Crabs, Shrimp, etc. All Kinds of Soft Drinks.

Try our Midday Lunch, 12 to 2 P. M. Personal Attention. Good Service.

GIESCHEN BROS, Proprietors.

6 tf

Spend Labor Day

—at—

Wrightsville Beach

25c—Round Trip—25c

From Any Part of City.

Athletic Events at 3:30 P. M.

Canoe Races, Surf Board Contests, Swimming Races, Running Races, Etc.

Music and Dancing at Lumina

25c Round Trip.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—Newton Enterprise: Farmers are pulling fodder and cutting hay. They have had a fine time for this work. The crop of peavine hay will be large and very good.

—Spencer, Sept. 2.—The Correll Overalls Company is installing machinery and will be in operation in a few days, thus furnishing Spencer with her first manufacturing industry.

—Wadesboro, Spt. 2.—Work commenced on the building of the Winston-Salem Southbound here today. Contractor J. J. Bennett with his force started at the point where the new line joins the Atlantic Coast Line.

—Laurinburg Exchange: Cotton crops have gone back wonderfully during the past 15 days. Patches are red with rust or some other injurious disease, with the result that the yield is off some twenty per cent at least.

—Eastern Carolina News: The Sand beds have been a murden on the farmers since this county was settled. They are growing deeper in sand and longer in miles all the while. We can rid ourselves of this burden by voting for good roads.

—Eastern Carolina News: On account of illness Judge O. H. Allen was unable to open court last Monday. The news was sent out by Mr. D. H. Wallace, and others at once which prevented the people from coming to court. Court will convene here next Monday.

—Fayetteville, Sept. 2.—The body of Mr. Robert Forbes, who was drowned in Lumber river last Thursday, has not been discovered yet, despite great efforts. Mr. Forbes came to this State to learn farming and was stopping with Mr. James McBryde at Foral College. He leaves a mother in Scotland.

—Burgaw Chronicle: Croom Bros' big stores here, five in number and all under the same roof, contain 15,000 feet of floor space besides three warehouses. This is the largest mercantile establishment from Wilmington to Goldsboro and pobbily in Eastern North Carolina, the cities alone excepted.

—Aberdeen, Sept. 1.—Last Sunday night during the electric storm the finishing rooms and storage house of Burt & Hicks' chair works, Biscoe, were struck by lightning and burned to the ground. Loss, about $2,000 with no insurance. During the same storm the home of Mr. Henry Clark, of Candor, was struck by lightning and badly damaged and every member of the family stunned, but no one was seriously hurt.

—Raleigh News and Observer, Sept. 3: A gentleman, who traveled from Greensboro to Raleigh one day this week, says that he never saw passengers so crowded and unaccommodated. There were many more people than there were seats, so much so that several ladies were jammed three into a seat and several had to sit on their baggage. At least six ladies had no seats and some of them rode all the way from Greensboro to Raielgh. Such failure to afford proper accommodations ought not to be permitted, and the railroad authorities cannot justify such treatment of ladies who paid good money for transportation. They had a right to the seat for which they paid.

—Gastonia News: The farmers of Gaston county are getting better results from their land the past few years. A few years ago one good ear was considered all that a man had to expect, and if two small ears appeared it was considered a kind of good luck. Now a farmer expects several to the stalk. Mr. John F. Davis showed us a stalk yesterday that had seven ears on it. He had raised it on his farm east of town. A number of the friends under Mr. A. C. Stroup, in the demonstration work, are showing three or four and five nice ears on nearly every stalk. A hundred bushels to the acre. That is what the farmers of Gastonia are looking forward to. Not thirteen as in many sections of the State.

—Southern Pines, Sept. 2.—The Citizens Bank and Trust Company which was closed a few weeks ago by the State bank examiner after the defalcation of the cashier, will be open again for business in a few days. Most of the stockholders have decided to hold to their stock in the reorganization, and the amount not so held will be taken by James Boyd, of Harrisburg, Pa., a highly esteemed winter resident of Southern Pines. The Bank of Aberdeen is financing the account of any depositor who wants his money, taking his Southern Pines check as security for the money advanced. C. A. Kimball, the cashier, who got three years at the Raleigh prison, and who was so ill at the trial that he had to be propped up with pillows, is improving slightly in health since the strain has been removed. A great deal of sympathy has been shown him by those who knew him best.

—Wadesboro, N. C., Sept. 2.—News from Gum Springs tells of excitement Tuesday night in that neighborhood. Miss Rhodea McQuag, 20 years old, left her home during the afternoon and her absence was not noticed until a note was found, stating that it was her intention to drown herself, and that her body would be found in the Pee Dee river. A younger sister, 17 years old, found the note and attempted to take carbolic acid. A young man standing near, snatched the bottle from her hand. Searching parties were organized and the missing McQuage was found near the Seaboard Air Line bridge over the Pee Dee river. She had walked the six miles from her home. After being taken home Miss McQuag stated that she had no intention of committing suicide, but expected to take a train and go to Raleigh. She had forty dollars in money with her. The rumor is that a disappointment in love is at the bottom of the affair.

"A HAVEN OF REST"

That's the exclamation a lady made recently as she was leaving our store. It was a very sensible remark too.

This "Haven of Rest" is for YOUR use, ladies and gentlemen.

Say to your friends: "Meet me at Buntings" "At the Time Appointed" and they will surely be there. The nicest Ice Cream (peach, Fig, Vanilla and Chocolate), and most delicious Soda Fountain Specialties, and the most fragrant cigars in the country to refresh yourselves with while indulging in your confidential chat.

These "Round Table Talks" "At Bunting's" are becoming quite popular and you are invited to use the "password" "Meet Me at Bunting's."

J. HICKS BUNTING DRUG CO.

FRONT AND GRACE STREETS.

"The Drug Store That Has Everything Anybody Else Has and Some Things Nobody Else Has."

N. B.—Headquarters for Marmola Co. Tablets.

Get What You Want

If you want to buy or sell a home; buy or sell an odd piece of furniture; want a better situation; in fact, to accomplish any reasonable object under the sun, the certain method is a

Star Business Local

The cost of one of these powerful little business pullers is a mere trifle---

25 Words 25c

The Seaboard Tour

Washington, Niagara Falls, Toronto, Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec, Down Lake George and Champlain and Four Days in New York City, at Very Attractive Rates.

Leaves September 1st—Personally Conducted by Mr. C. H. Gattis.

The SEABOARD announces their second ANNUAL TOUR, personally conducted, by C. H. Gattis, District Passenger Agent, chaperoned by Mrs. C. H. Gattis, same being under their personal supervision, through the North and Canada, taking in all the principal and most attractive Resorts in the East. leaving Raleigh September 1st, via Portsmouth—Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, up the historic Potomac to Washington, thence through Baltimore, Philadelphia and the scenic Lehigh valley to Niagara Falls, Toronto, taking in the Grand Toronto Exhibition, through the Thousand Islands, down the St. Lawrence River to Montreal and Quebec, returning via Lake George and Lake Champlain through Saratoga and Albany to New York, where four days will be spent.

The cost of the trip will include railroad, steamship and Pullman fares, transfers hotel accommodations, side trips, etc., as shown in itinerary—in fact will include practically every necessary expense with the exception of a few meals en route and while in New York city and is made at the lowest possible amount.

This route has been selected after the most careful consideration, giving the best advantage for sight-seeing at most interesting points. Sufficient length of time will be spent at all stopover points for sight-seeing and all arrangements made for the pleasure and comfort of the party.

C. H. Gattis, District Passenger Agent, will devote his entire time to the party and will look after all necessary details, etc., for the comfort and pleasure of all, and this is assured as the Seaboard has had considerable experience in handling these tours, as any one who has been with them in the past will be glad to tell you.

Mr. and Mrs. Gattis will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. James Ker, Jr., of Charlotte, N. C.

For itinerary of tour write at once to the undersigned and those who desire descriptive literature relative to route over which party will travel, etc., will be forwarded same upon receipt of request with 25 cents in postage to cover mailing of same.

The party is fast filling up and those desiring to join should make reservation without delay.

District Passenger Agent
Raleigh, N. C.
C. H. GATTIS.

PILES! PILES! PILES!

Williams Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and $1.00. Sold by R. R. Bellamy.

Our interest quarter begins Sept. 1. Money that has been deposited three months will draw interest then. Start an account with us on or before Sept. 2 and three months hence you too will draw interest

Atlantic Trust & Banking Co.

MATT. J. HEYER, President.
MILTON CALDER, Cashier.

Southern Bldg. Opp. Postoffice.

aug28-tf

No Vacation Complete Without a KODAK.

KODAK SUPPLIES.

Hammocks, Porch Screens

Base Ball Supplies.

C.W. YATES & CO.

Wilmington, N. C.

TO THE BEACH

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect September 1, 1909.

WEEK DAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound	Leave The Beach West Bound
6:30 A. M.	6:10 A. M.
	7:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets 6:00 A. M., 10:00 A. M., and 4:00 P. M.

Freight depot open from 5:30 to 6:00 A. M. and from 9:00 to 10:00 A. M.; and from 2:00 to 4:00 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets East Bound.	Leave The Beach West Bound
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
	9:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P M	
	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

Freight.

Leave 9th and Orange streets at 11:00 A. M.

Freight depot open from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

Clyde Steamship Company to NEW YORK and GEORGETOWN, S. C.

New York to Wilmington.

S. S. "Carib".....Friday, Sept. 3rd
S. S. "Navahoe"....Friday, Sept. 10th

Wilmington to New York.

S. S. "Navahoe"...Saturday, Sept. 4th
S. S. "Carib".....Saturday, Sept. 11th

Wilmington to Georgetown.

S. S. "Navahoe"...Monday, Aug. 30th
S. S. "Carib".....Monday, Sept. 6th

"Steamship Carib does not carry passengers."

Through bills of lading and lowest through rates guaranteed to and from all points in North and South Carolina.

For freight and passage apply to
H. G. SMALLBONES, Supt.
Wilmington, N. C.
H. E. MAYNARD, F. T. M.
H. H. RAYMOND, V. P. & G. M.
General Offices, Pier 36 N. R., N. Y
aug 15 tf

THE MURCHISON NATIONAL BANK of Wilmington

Capital and Surplus....$900,000.00
Shareholders Liability.. 550,000.00

$1,450,000.00

Our customers have the above security and every facility for business that a modern bank can supply.

New Accounts Wanted.

15 HOURS TO ASHEVILLE, N. C. VIA ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Round trip rate $14.70, tickets on sale daily up to and including September 30th, final limit October 31st.

Pullman service all the way.

Lv. Wilmington	3:10 P M
Ar Columbia	10:45 P M
Lv Columbia	11:30 P M
Ar. Asheville	7:00 A M

For further information, reservations, etc., Phone No. 160.

B. W. ARRINGTON,
Ticket Agent.
T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

To Carolina Beach and Southport

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

On and after September 1st, 1909, Steamer Wilmington will leave daily for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9 A. M., and for Carolina Beach at 2:30 P. M.

Steamer Southport leaves for Southport at 10:15 A. M., and leaves Southport for Wilmington at 2:30 P. M.

Freight for Southport will be carried on the 9 o'clock boat only.

aug 31 tf

Try a Star Business Local

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect July 11, 1909.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departure are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9:00 am	7:00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:05 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	1:00 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	1:35 pm	11:30 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	2:47 am
Ar. Norfolk	5:55 pm	
Ar Petersburg	7:05 pm	4:25 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	5:10 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	8:40 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:15 am	10:02 am
Ar. Philadelphia	3:45 am	12:23 pm
Ar. New York	6:30 am	2:45 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 43.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:37 am	11:48 pm
Lv. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Lv. Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Lv. Norfolk		8:25 am
Lv. Richmond	7:10 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	7:47 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:35 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	10:33 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:14 am	1:56 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6:30 am	3:00 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9:25 am	6:00 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Via Wilson		
	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	4:55 am	3:10 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:25 pm	3:55 am
Ar. Col'bia.	12:25 pm	10:45 pm	
Ar. Chars.	1:10 pm	11:25 pm	7:00 am
Ar. Savh.	6:30 pm	2:20 am	9:20 am
Ar. Jk'ville		7:15 am	1:50 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:00 pm	10:30 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:30 am
Lv. Jacksonville	8:50 am	7:45 pm
Ar. Savannah	12:55 pm	11:59 pm
Lv. Charleston	5:25 pm	5:10 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:15 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	12:40 am	1:35 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar 8:05 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar 4:45 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv 3:30 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily Except Sunday.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:25 pm	12:50 pm
Ar. Newbern	6:50 pm	Lv 9:30 am

Trains No. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with Pennsylvania R. R., for all points east.

Trains 48 and 49 carry passengers cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

Trains No. 55 and 50 carry Pullman Sleeper between Wilmington and Columbia.

T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent.
W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager.

Seaboard Air Line

Schedule effective May 2nd, 1909. Subject to change without notice.

Local sleeper between Wilmington and Hamlet on 44 and 45 open for passengers at Wilmington at 9:00 P. M. connects at Hamlet with all trains North, South and West with No. 33 at Hamlet, through train for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis.

Direct and shortest line to the principal cities, South and Southwest, also connects at Hamlet with Vestibule trains North.

Tickets for passage for all trains are sold by this Company and accepted by the passenger with the understanding that this Company will not be responsible for failure to run its trains on schedule time or for any such delays as may be incident to their operation. Care is exercised to give correct time of connecting lines but this Company is not responsible for errors or omissions.

TRAINS ARRIVE AT WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

No. 44 at 12:30 A. M. from Johnson City, Charlotte, Hamlet and points North.

No. 40 arrives 1:15 P. M. from Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with No. 36 from Birmingham and Atlanta, No. 33 from Norfolk and Raleigh, No. 81 from New York and Washington, and all points North and South.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON AS FOLLOWS:

	No. 45.	No. 39.
Lv Wilm't'n	3:00 A.M.	3:20 P.M.
Ar Lumb'ton	5:30 A.M.	5:37 P.M.
Ar. Maxton	6:12 A.M.	6:35 P.M.
Ar. Hamlet	7:00 A.M.	7:30 P.M.
Lv. Hamlet	7:25 A.M.	9:15 P.M.
Ar. Monroe	9:26 A.M.	10:20 P.M.
Ar. Charlotte	10:25 A.M.	11:20 P.M.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with Nos. 38 and 66 for all points North at Monroe with No. 59 for Atlanta and continues on through to Johnson City, arriving 8:05 P. M.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 37 for Atlanta, Birmingham, Memphis and Charlotte, with No. 84 for Washington and New York, No. 32 for Portsmouth, Norfolk and No. 48 for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

For time tables and any information apply to your nearest Ticket Agent, or Call Phone No. 1294.

J. D. EDWARDS,
Union Ticket Agent,
F. A. FETTER,
Agent.
Phone 36, Wilmington, N. C.
C. H. GATTIS,
District Passenger Agent,
Raleigh, N. C.

N & W Norfolk & Western

Quickest and best Line West and Northwest.

Block System, Rock Ballast. 85-lb. Rail

Schedule in Effect May 1st, 1909.

Lv. Norfolk	7:30 a.m.	7:30 p.m.
Lv. Petersburg	10:25 a.m.	10:20 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:20 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:30 p.m.	2:13 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:30 a.m.	7:20 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:45 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:28 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

Close connections made for Seattle, San Francisco and all Western points.

Pullman sleeping and parlor cars N. and W. Cafe dining cars. Equipment and service standard of excellence. Blue Ridge and Allegheny mountains crossed at most picturesque parts.

Time tables, descriptive literature and information free. Correspondence invited.

W. B. BEVILL,
Gen. Pass. Agent, Roanoke, Va.
C. H. BOSLEY,
Dist. Pass. Agent, Richmond, Va.

MARKET QUOTATIONS

¶ The Latest Reports From the Important Trading Centers and From Local Dealers.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 3.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Market nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, steady $2.95 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm, $2.00 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.50 for dip, and $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year — spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin steady $2.30, tar firm $1.50; crude turpentine firm $1.50, $2.00 and $2.75.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	11
Rosin	121
Tar	97
Crude turpentine	105

Receipts, same time last year 19 casks spirits turpentine; 91 barrels rosin; (—) barrels tar; 60 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—12 1-8 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Nominal.

Receipts—198 bales, same day last year 5 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 28th)

PEANUTS—North Carolina prime 65@70; extra prime, 72 1-2; fancy 75@80c; Virginia, prime 65@70; extra prime 75@80c; Spanish $1.00 to $1.05.

CORN—Firm, 98@1.00 per bushel for mixed.

N. C. HAMS—Good demand; hams 16@17c; shoulders 13c; sides 13c.

EGGS—Good demand, 25 and 26 cents per dozen.

CHICKENS—Spring 12 1-2 to 25c.; grown 35 cents.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27@28c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2c per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Good demand at 2@3 1-2c per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dr. flint 12 1-2c; green, 9c per pound.

IRISH POTATOES—90c@$1.00 per bushel.

SWEET POTATOES—Good demand 78 cents and $1.00 per bushel for new yams.

WOOL—Burr 18c., free of burr 25c.

GEESE—Out of season.

PORK—Out of Season.

SHEEP—Old dull $1.00@$2.00 per head. Lambs, good demand $1.25@$3.00.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Aside from some irregularity as a result of evening-up for over Labor Day, today's cotton market showed a generally steady tone owing to the continued influence of yesterday bullish government report and talk of a better spot demand and New Orleans bull support, the closing being firm at a net advance of 8 to 12 points.

The market opened steady at an advance of 2 to 7 points with the active months selling about 6 to 7 points net higher during the early session on covering and Southern buying which was encouraged by the firmness of cables, bullish private advices indicating uneasiness among foreign spinners as the result of the low September condition and reports of improving trade. On the advance the market met the same sort of pressure that was in evidence yesterday and which seems to come from a very strong local bear clique. This pressure in cotton with realizing for over holidays sent prices off to nearly the closing figures of yesterday during the middle of the morning but the market developed renewed firmness in the latter trading on the larger sales reported in Southern spot markets and claims of a more urgent demand from spinners.

At the high point December contracts sold at 12.60, or within a point of the best level touched yesterday. That position closed at 12.59 and the general list closed within a point or two of the top. While the local and New Orleans markets will be closed on Saturday and Monday Liverpool will remain open and having recently shown a bullish tendency, apprehensions of higher cables at the reopening on Tuesday, probably promoted local covering in the late trading.

Southern spot markets officially reported early were unchanged to 1-8c lower. Weather reports attracted no special attention.

Receipts today at the ports were 17,222 bales against 10,245 last week and 12,348 last year. For the week 80,000 bales against 34,709 last week and 79,332 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans 275, bales against 443 last year and at Houston 7,950 bales against 6,658 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet 5 points higher; middling uplands 12.85; middling gulf 13.10; sales 1,209 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed firm.

Month.	Open.	Close.
September	12.45	12.46
October	12.47	12.50
November	——	12.51
December	12.51	12.59
January	12.48	12.55
February	——	12.57
March	12.55	12.62
April	——	12.63
May	12.57	12.68
July	12.56-58	12.69

Comparative oCtton Statement.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3,—Following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending Friday, Sept. 3rd:

Net receipts at all U. S, ports during week 80,300.

Net receipts at all U. S. ports same week last year 77,243.

Total receipts since September 1st 42,739.

Total receipts to same date last year 52,556.

Exports for the week 45,603.

Exports for same week last year 71,185.

Total exports since September 1st 29,865.

Total exports same date last year 50,296.

Stock at all United States ports 188,968.

Stock at all United States ports same time last year 178,239.

Stock at all interior towns 74,205.

Stock at all interior towns same time last year *112,481.

Stock at Liverpool same time last year 371,000.

Stock of Am. afloat for Great Britain same time last year 3,400.

*Two towns missing.

COTTON RECEIPTS.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st:

Galveston	17,136
New Orleans	307
Mobile	534
Savannah	21,135
Charleston	1,353
Wilmington	341
Norfolk	824
Boston	109
Brunswick	1,000
Total	42,739

PORT MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Galveston—Firm, 12 3-8; net receipts 4,885; stock 37,419.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 7-16; net receipts 275; stock 33,440.

Mobile—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 284; stock 3,150.

Savannah—Steady, 12 5-16; net receipts 9,435; stock 37,462.

Charleston—Steady, 12 1-8; net receipts 693; stock 2,167.

Wilmington—Quiet, 12 1-8; net receipts 198; stock 795.

Norfolk—Steady, 12 1-4; net receipts 452; stock 8,045.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12 3-4; stock 1,280.

New York—Quiet, 12.85; stock 65,282.

Boston—Quiet, 12.85.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.10; stock 1,025.

Brunswick—Net receipts 1,000; stock 903.

Total today, at all ports, Net 17,222; Great Britain 1,270; oCntinent 510; Stock 188,968.

Consolidated, at all ports, Net 80,300; Great Britain 4,980; France 10,983; Continent 29,640.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports, Net 42,739; Great Britain 4,561; France 10,415; Continent 14,889.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Houston—Firm, 12 3-8; net receipts 7,950; stock 28,780.

Augusta—Steady, 12 5-16; net receipts 844; stock 4,711.

Memphis—Steady, 12 7-16; net receipts 35; stock 5,887.

St. Louis—Steady, 12 3-8; stock 10,612.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 118; stock 11,481.

Louisville—Firm, 12 1-2; net receipts 10; stock 20.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12.00; stock 1,996.

Total today—Net receipts 8,957; gross receipts 8,987; shipments 10,587; sales 1,934; stock 63,487.

THE LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Sept. 3.—Spot cotton moderate business done; prices five points higher; American middling fair 7.42; good middling 7.06; middling 6.88; low middling 6.70; good ordinary 6.44; ordinary 6.19. The sales of the day were 12,000 bales, of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 10,500 American. Receipts 3,500 bales, all American.

Futures opened quiet and steady and closed quiet. September 6.68; September and October 6.62 1-2; October and November; November and December; December and January 6.60; January and February; February and March; March and April 6.60 1-2; April and May 6.60; May and June 6.59 1-2; June and July 6.59; July and August 6.57 1-2.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Cotton goods and cotton yarns are appreciably steadier in prices and demand since the government cotton report was digested by merchants. Jobbers have done fair business for the week and shipments on old orders have been heavy. Raw wool is very firm.

MARKET GOSSIP.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Prices continued to advance today in the stock market with a rather desultory demand. The transactions in United States Steel dominated the whole market, enormous blocks of that security changing hands throughout the day. The opening sales were of 13,000 shares, the orders being executed simultaneously at 78 7-8 and 79, thus establishing the stock on a new record basis.

The market in United States Steel rose for the first time above 80 and it did so late in the day cannot be called entirely uninteresting yet the comparison of the sales of United States Steel with the aggregate of all stocks shows how largely that stock overshadowed everything else. Chicago sent a report that an increase in the dividend to four per cent. was in contemplation at the next quarter and to five per cent. soon thereafter. A sympathetic effect on the general list was considerable but not universal. The upward movement was uneven and did not affect some of the principal active stocks.

Covering of shorts by the bear party on the eve of the three days holiday was given large credit for the price movement. The failure of a stock exchange firm of minor importance passed without notice coming seemingly without great surprise. Special strength in the Rock Island stocks was accompanied by rumors of an early resumption of dividends on Rock Island preferred and on St. Louis and San Francisco secured preferred. The copper stocks hung back and resulting of Refined Copper by second hands kept up the unfavorable impression of market conditions for that metal.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, were $3,220,000. United States registered fours have declined 1-4, and the coupons 1-2 per cent. on call since last week.

Total sales for the day were 660,300 shares.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Money on call firm 2 to 2 1-2, ruling rate and closing 2 1-4, offered at 2 1-2. Time loans quite active; sixty days 2 3-4 to 3 per cent., ninety days 3 1-4 per cent., six months 4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4 1-4 to 4 3-4 per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers bills at 4.8510 to 15 for sixty day bills and at 4.8660 for demand. Commercial bills 4.84 1-2 to 4.84 3-4. Bar silver 51 1-2. Mexican dollars —.

NEW YORK BONDS.

U. S. refunding 2s reg	100 3-4
U. S. refunding 2s cou	100 3-4
U. S. 3s reg	101 1-2
U. S. 3s cou	101 1-2
U. S. 4s reg	116
U. S. 4s cou	118
American Tobacco Co. 6s	111
Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s	95 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	99 3-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	89 3-4
Southern Railway 5s	112
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s	107 3-8

Closing Stock Lists.

Amalgamated Copper	84
Amr. Car & Foundry	67 3-4
Amr. Cotton Oil	76 1-8
Amr. Locomotive	59 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref	99 5-8
Amr. Sugar Refining	130 1-4
Atchison	120 1-8
Atchison pfd	104 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line	135
Baltimore & Ohio	118 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	93
Chesapeake & Ohia	82 1-8
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	158
Colorado & Southern	52
Erie	35 3-4
Erie 1st pfd	52 7-8
Erie 2nd pfd	43 1-2
Great Northern pfd	154
Kansas City Southern	48
Kansas City Southern pfd	73
L. & N.	152 1-4
Northern Pacific	156 1-4
Pennsylvania	141 3-4
People's Gas	116 1-8
Reading	161 3-8
Republic Steel pfd	106 3-8
Rock Island Co.	40 3-8
Rock Island Co. pfd	77 1-2
Southern Pacific	129 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	
Southern Railway	31
Southern Railway pfd	71
Standard Oil Co	701
Union Pacific	202 5-8
Union Pacific pfd	106 1-4
U. S. Steel	80
U. S. Steel pfd	127 1-4
Va.-Car. Chemical	48
Westinghouse Electric	85 1-2
Western Union	75 3-8

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Flour steady and fairly active.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal, Rye and Barley—Steady.

Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red 1.07 1-4. September option 1c higher and other months unchanged. Sept. closed 1.07 1-2; Dec. 1.02 1-2; May 1.04 1-4.

Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 old 79 elevator. Options 1-4 to 1-2 net higher. Sept. 75 7-8; Dec. 67 1-4.

Oats—Spot steady; mixed 40 nominal.

Lard and Rice—Steady.

Pork and Tallow—Firm.

Molasses—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 3.67.

Coffee—Quiet; Rio No. 7, 7 1-4; Santos No. 4, 8 5-8 to 9. Mild—Quiet; Cordova 8 1-2 to 12. Futures closed steady net unchanged to 10 points higher.

Butter—Firm; creamery third to first 24 to 28 1-2.

Cheese—Firm, unchanged.

Eggs—Irregular; State, Pennsylvania and nearby white, hennery fancy 32 to 35; do brown 30 to 32; fair to choice gathered brown 25 to 29.

Potatoes — Irregular; Southern sweets, per barrel 1.50 to 2.25.

Cabbages—Dull, unchanged.

Freights and Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Market was firm and higher today on further support by leading refiners, the strength of crude and kindred products, and covering by shorts. September 5.80 to 5.85; October 5.82 to 5.85; November and December 5.76 to 5.77; prime crude 4.60; prime summer yellow 5.85 to 5.95; prime white 5.93 to 6.50; prime winter yellow 6.00 to 6.49.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Sept. 3.—Wet weather in the northwest was reflected in a firm market for wheat on the board of trade here today. Realizing sales, however, caused a loss of part of the grain but at the close prices were 1-8c lower to 3-8 to 1-2 higher compared with yesterday's final figures. Corn, oats and provisions also displayed considerable strength.

	Opening.	Highest.	Closing.
Wheat—			
Sept	99 7-8	99 1-8	98 3-4
Dec.	94 5-8	94 7-8	94 7-8
May	98 1-8	98 3-8	97 7-8
Corn—			
Sept	66 1-4	67	66 5-8
Dec.	57 1-4	57 3-4	57 1-8
May	58 7-8	59 1-2	58 5-8
Oats—			
Sept	38 1-8	38 5-8	38 1-2
Dec.	37 3-4	38 1-4	38
May	40 3-8	40 3-8	40 1-2
Mess Pork, per bbl.—			
Sept	22 90	22 90	22 87 1-2
Jan.	17 72 1-2	17 87 1-2	17 80
Lard, per 100 lbs.—			
Jan.	10 57 1-2	10 60	10 60
Sept	12 27 1-2	12 27 1-2	12 27 1-2
Oct.	12 25	12 21 1-2	12 27 1-2
Nov.	11 87 1-2	11 82 1-2	11 90
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—			
Sept	11 77 1-2	11 82 1-2	11 82 1-2
Oct.	11 65	11 67 1-2	11 67 1-2
Jan.	9 37 1-2	9 42 1-2	9 40

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Turpentine easy 59 1-2; rosin quiet.

Charleston, S. C., Sept. 3.—Turpentine quiet 56 1-2.

Rosin quiet. Quote: A, B, C, 3.30; D, 3.40; E, 3.85; F, 4.00; G, 4.05; H, 3.25; I, 4.50; K, 5.40; M, 5.50; N, 5.75; WG, 6.00 to 6.25; WW, 6.25 to 6.50.

Savannah, Ga., Sept. 3.—Turpentine firm 56 1-2 asked. Sales 124; receipts 690; shipments 289.

Rosin firm; sales 2,217; receipts 2,381; shipments 592; stock 155,245. Quote: A. B. C. 3.30; D, 3.40; E, 3.85; F, 4.05; G, 4.10; H, 4.25; I, 4.50; K, 5.40; M, 5.50; N, 5.75; WG, 6.00; WW, 6.25.

MARINE

ARRIVED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

Str. Navahoe, Hale, Georgetown, S. C., H. G. Smallbones.

CLEARED.

Str. City of Fayetteville, Smith, Fayetteville, C. P. Love.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Sept. 3, 1909.

C. C. Railroad—1 bale cotton; 28 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—2 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 4 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—118 bales cotton; 18 barrels tar; 28 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—77 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 49 barrels rosin; 20 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & N. Railroad—10 barrels rosin; 44 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—8 casks spirits turpentine; 62 barrels rosin; 2 barrels tar.

Str. Duplin—3 barrels tar.

Schr. Jeneva Moore—18 barrels tar.

Total—198 bales cotton; 11 casks spirits turpentine; 121 barrels rosin; 97 barrels tar; 105 barrels crude turpentine.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now In Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Putney Bridge (Br.), 2,147 tons, Robinson, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Hermia (Br.) 1,305 tons, Fettes, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Schooners.

Charles Noble, Simmons, 716 tons, Green, C. D. Maffitt.

A. B. Sherman, 510 tons, Littlefield, C. D. Maffitt.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

Wm. Thomas Moore, 261 tons, Bell, C. D. Maffitt.

F. & T. Lupton, 797 tons, Longstreet, C. D. Maffitt.

Geo. F. Phillips, 237 tons, Gaskins, C. D. Maffitt.

THE JOLLY GIRL

must keep her teeth in good condition. She owes it to herself and her friends to do so. Discolored or decayed teeth or vacant spaces spoil the laughing mouth.

DENTAL TREATMENT

is not such a serious matter as some suppose. By our methods the disagreeable features of the work are either entirely absent or so modified as to cause no serious inconvenience. Prices very moderate for first-class work.

PLATES $5.00 AND UP
PAINLESS EXTRACTIONS FREE,
Crown, Bridge and Porcelain Work and Regulating are Specialties.

DR. JAMES W. POWELL'S
DENTAL PARLORS,
Room 15 Carrell Building.

GLASS!
GLASS!

Glass put in anytime and anywhere, if you will only ask—Price reasonable—Full line carried in stock.

Willson Paint & Paper Company
202 Princess Street.
Phone 1356.

jul 27 tf

'Toile du Nord'

The best wash fabric in the country for the price at which it is sold.

Just received, the New Fall Patterns. Going fast. Simply see them and you will make your purchase.

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases.—We are ready to serve your wants in this line. Cowhide Suit Cases, Matting Suit Cases, English Club Bags. If quality is a consideration you can not afford to overlook our line.

A. D. BROWN

aug 29-tf

COMFORT SHOES

For men who have enlarged joints and tender Toes. Lace and Congress.

Peterson & Rulfs

DO YOU PATRONIZE HOME INDUSTRIES?

Those of you who have been making your purchases away from Wilmington should think before patronizing mail order and houses away from home any further.

Who sympathized with you when your little girl was sick? Was it the mail order house?

Who carried you last winter when you were out of a job and had no money? Was it the mail order house or was it your home merchant?

When you want to raise money for the church or for some needy person in town, do you write to the mail order house, or do you go to your home merchant?

How much does the mail order house give towards keeping up sidewalks or paying the minister's salary?

When you were sick how many nights did the mail order house sit up with you?

When you had to raise money to pay your gas bill, did you get it from the mail order house or a home merchant or contractor?

When your loved one was buried, was it your home merchant who dropped the tear of sympathy and uttered the cheering word, or was it the mail order house?

PATRONIZE HOME MERCHANTS

BLACK AND TAN IN OXFORDS

Are now both the rage for Men's Summer wear. Nothing could be handsomer on the foot of the fastidious dresser than a pair of these splendid, hand made Oxfords. They give a distinguished appearance to the foot, and help to stamp the wearer as a correct dresser.

PAT KID, TAN & GUNMETAL.

$4 00

HEWLETT & PRICE
109 MARKET ST.

aug 7 tf

Advertising Makes Business Hum

BASE BALL

National League.

Philadelphia, Sept. 3.—Philadelphia and Cincinnati again broke even in a doubleheader here today. The second game was won by Philadelphia in the 13th inning, 6 to 5.

Philadelphia ...000 000 000—0 2 2
Cincinnati .....000 102 000—3 8 0

McQuillen, Foxen and Martel; Fromme and Roth.

Phila. .....200 002 100 0001—6 11 1
Cincinnati ..020 100 020 0000—5 12 3

Coveleskie, Moren and Dooin; Dubec, Cantwell, Ewing and Roth.

New York, Sept. 3.—New York closed its home season with the Western clubs today by defeating St. Louis 7 to 4.

St. Louis .....200 000 110—4 11 1
New York .....004 100 11x—7 11 3

Harmon, Backman and Phelps; Ames and Schlei.

Brooklyn, Sept. 3.—With the score 4 to 2 at end of eighth inning, McIntyre weakened and eight of the Chicago team crossed the plate in the ninth. President Ebbetts will protest as there was an agreement to call the game at 5:15 o'clock. This would make the game revert to the eighth.

Chicago .....100 001 008—10 8 3
Brooklyn .....102 010 000— 4 9 2

Pfeister, Higginbotham, Brown and Archer and Needham and Moran; McIntyre and Bergen.

American League.

Cleveland, Sept. 3.—Cleveland and Detroit played a tie game today, each club had many chances to score but fast fielding intervened. The game was called on account of darkness. Two games will be played tomorrow.

Cleveland .....100 000 000—1 8 0
Detroit .....000 000 100—1 6 3

Joss and Clarke; Summers, Works, Donovan and Stanage.

Chicago, Sept. 3.—Chicago defeated St. Louis 4 to 3 by a brilliant eight-inning-rally today.

Chicago .....000 000 04x—4 6 0
St. Louis .....000 010 200—3 8 2

Walsh, White and Sullivan and Payne; Pelty and Criger.

Washington, Sept. 3.—Philadelphia outbatted and outfielded Washington today and won easily 10 to 3.

Washington ...000 020 100— 3 6 3
Philadelphia ...000 320 302—10 10 1

Gray, Oberlin and Street; Plank and Thomas.

Southern League.

At Little Rock 4; Atlanta 2.
At Mobile 3; Nashville 9.
At Memphis 12; Birmingham 3.
At New Orleans-Montgomery, not scheduled.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 4; Jacksonville 0.
At Knoxville 0; Augusta 3. (11 innings.)
2nd: Augusta 3; Knoxville 0.
At Columbus 11; Columbia 1.
At Chattanooga 1; Macon 3.

Carolina League.

At Charlotte 4; Raleigh 5.
2nd: Raleigh 2; Charlotte 1.

Virginia League.

At Portsmouth 2; Lynchburg 2. (8 innings, darkness.)
At Richmond 4; Norfolk 12.
At Roanoke 4; Danville 3.

OUR BIGGEST BATTLESHIPS.

Contract Awarded for Two Monsters. Electric Motors.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Sept. 3.—The award of the contract for the two new American Dreadnoughts of 26,000 tons each, the Wyoming and the Arkansis, which are expected to be announced next week, will be made to William Cramp & Sons, of Philadelphia, and the New York Shipbuilding Company, of Camden, N. J.

The Maryland Steel Company, of Sparrows Point, Md., which submitted the lowest bid for the new fleet colliers to be constructed for the navy, will get the contract for that vessel.

The naval board of construction, of which Read Admiral Cowles is president, held a protracted meeting today and went over the bids for the two battleships and the one collier. Apparently there is still some difference on the question of the motive power for the battleships. This will be settled at another meeting of the board next Tuesday.

The proposition of one of the shipbuilding companies to install electric motors as a feature of the machinery aboard the vessels was discussed today but one of the considerations which influenced the board was that the bid of the company making the proposition was higher than those of the firms which are to get the contracts.

HEINZE FRAUD CASE

Counsel Asks Judge to Dismiss Charge of Misapplication.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Sept. 3.—Counsel for F. Augustus Heinze today asked Judge Hough, in the United States Circuit Court, to dismiss the indictment against Heinze which charged him with misapplication of $2,250,000 of the funds of the Mercantile National Bank of this city, of which he was formerly president. Mr. Heinz's counsel asserted that the indictment did not show that the alleged misapplication was unlawful nor show intent to defraud the bank. United States District Attorney Wise declared that a wilful attempt to defraud the bank for personal gain was charged. Judge Hugh reserved his decision.

The Road to Success.

has many obstructions, but none so desperate as poor health. Success today demands health, but Electric Bitters is the greatest health builder the world has ever known. It compels perfect action of the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, purifies and enriches the blood, and tones and invigorates the whole system. Vigorous body and keen brain follow their use. You can't afford to slight Electric Bitters if weak, run-down or sickly. Only 50c. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

Sunday, September 5th.

Steamer Wilmington leaves for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9:15 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Fare 25 cents round trip. **

POLE'S DISCOVERY

(Continued From First Page.)

day at Gaeta aboard the battleship Napoli. Captain Cagni said that what Dr. Cook had done was a marvelous piece of enterprise worthy of his daring. He believed Dr. Cook would be capable of scientifically proving up to a certain point that he had reached the pole, and declared that one man who has the courage to face the Polar danger cannot be a man of bad faith.

"The Arctic explorer," said Captain Cagni, "either must be a genuine scientist of a swindler. Dr. Cook is not a swindler. His undertaking is astounding."

Chicago Professor Doubts.

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 3.—The report that Chicago professors disbelieved that Dr. Frederick A. Cook discovered the North Pole called forth criticisms by Director Chittenden of the Sheffield Scientific School, whose guest Dr. Cook has often been, and of Professor Brewer, who accompanied Dr. Cook on one of his Arctic trips.

Professor Chittenden said: "I think the stand taken by these professors is manifestly unfair and is certainly uncalled for. They come out with their denials and say he is falsifying before they have even heard his story. I think they should wait at least until his return."

Professor Brewer said: "I shall believe Dr. Cook until it is proved that he did not reach the Pole. He is an honest man and would not lie about the matter."

100 dozen "Wearforever" hose for boys, 25 cent values at Gaylord's, 15 cents. **

STAR BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51, A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co., or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements always call the Star office No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

FLETCHER MUSIC METHOD (simplex and kindergarden.) Classes open October 1, 1909. For information call Mrs. G. J. McMillan, 'phone 954 or Mrs. H. E. O'Keef, 'phone 738. se 4 1t*

FINE SELECT oysters today at Palace Market. Phones 72 and 653. se 4 1t.

CALL UP THE Palace Market today for your meats, vegetables, fruits, etc. Everything good and best variety to select from on the market. Phones 72 and 653. se 4 1t

BEST NATIVE BEEF of season today at Palace Market also nice peaches. 'Phone 72 and 653. se 4 1t

DRESSED CHICKENS today at the Palace Market also nice fresh sausage. Phones 72 and 653. se 4 1t

FOR RENT—Large furnished front room suitable for two gentlemen, privilege of bath and 'phone, No. 313 Grace street, 'phone 1625. se 4-1t*

DON'T FORGET today is the opening of the eighth series of stock in the Hanover Building & Loan Association. A great many shares already sold and this series limited to 500 shares. Call early and get your pass book. 25 cents per share worth $100 at maturity. J. J. Fowler, president; J. W. Yates, vice president; H. F. Wilder, secretary and treasurer, No. 207 Princess street. se 4-2t.

FOR RENT October 1st, stores Nos. 9 and 11 Market street, suitable for grocery or commmission business. Apply to James Owen Reilly, Real Estate Agent. se 4-tf.

FOR RENT—Furnished cottages, Wrightsville Beach, reasonable price. Apply to James Owen Reilly, Real Estate Agent. se 4-tf.

THE YOUNG MEN'S Baraca Class of Immanuel Sunday School will give an ice cream supper in the primary room on Thursday night, September 16th. The class wishes to remodel its class room, and the supper is given for the purpose of raising money for the object. se 4-2t.

WANTED—Three strictly high grade life insurance salesmen. Exceptional opportunity for special work. No crop failures. The Southland Life Insurance Company, capital and surplus $600,000. Writes unusually attractive policy contracts. Address Southland Life Insurance Company, El Paso, Texas. se 4-6t.

FOR RENT at once, very large light rooms, with bath, hot and cold water and telephone. Best board market affords, at reasonable prices. Apply 119 Orange street, 'phone 1670. se 4-1t*

ADVERTISING in these columns pays big dividends. A trial insertion is most convincing. au 22-1t.

FOR RENT—East side double house Grace between Second and Third streets, eight rooms, modern conveniences, possession given October 1st. Apply 215 Grace or 'phone 295. se 3 tf

YOU CAN BUY or rent the moving picture business, "LeGrand." Everything new and first-class. Apply Bonitz Apartment House. se 3 2t

FOR RENT—From October 1st desirable 11-room house No. 119 Orange street. Apply C. P. B. Mahler agent, 21 South Second street. se 2 4t

FOR RENT—Flat No. 507 North Fourth street, six rooms, gas range and all modern improvements. Water rent free for $15.00 per month. C. P. B. Mahler, Real Estate Agent, 21 South Second street. se 2 5 2t

FOR RENT—A few desirable offices in the Southern Building. Light and heat furnished. Apply to W. A. Dick, office No. 404. se 2-6t.

FOR SALE—Sixty saw Winship cotton gin. New, must be sold. B. G. Worth, trustee Worth Co. se 2-6t.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Piano in good condition. For price and particulars address "C. D. M." care of Star. se 2-tf.

WANTED—Large airy room and board in private family by man, wife and baby. References exchanged. P. O. Box 549. se 3 3t

ANY INTELLIGENT man or woman may earn a good steady income corresponding for newspapers. We suggest subjects. Experience unnecessary. Address Press Correspondence Bureau, Washington, D. C. aug 29 19t*

FOR RENT to gentlemen only, four large airy southern exposed rooms, modern conveniences, centrally located, near car line and postoffice. Address "R. D." care Star. au 31-1w

THE PHOTOGRAPHS and enlargements turned out by the U. C. Ellis Studio have an artistic value which appeals to your good taste. au 25-tf

WOOD FOR SALE cheap, oak or pine, cut to suit, dry and nice. At foot of Brunswick street. 'Phone 1393. J. M. Woolard. aug 31 6t

SPECIAL OFFER—Six half cabinet photographs and one platinum finish enlargement, for one dollar. Best value ever offered. Titmas & Foltz, Props. The Gem Studio, 114 Market street, Wilmington, N. C., fe 17-tf

FOR SALE—The valuable property on Princess street known as the "Star Building." Size of lot 58 1-2 by 66 feet, including all of the narrow alley east and half of the wide alley west of the building. For further particulars address Wm. H. Bernard, 111 South Fifth street. aug 7 6t

FOUND—On Fifth street, corner of Castle, a druggist that sends all over the city, gets prescriptions, fills and returns without extra cost. 'Phone 192 and 1277. jl 9-tf.

SEND YOUR FILMS to the Gem Studio, 114 Market street. Any size film developed, ten cents. Any size picture finished for five cents. Titmas & Foltz, props. fe 17-tf.

"SAY JOHN where are you going?" C. D. Gilbert & Bro., of course! Why? Because they always give me honest prices for my beeswax, hides, tallow, wool, N. C., Hams and country produce. You try them, and you will go there in the future yourself. C. D. Gilbert & Bro., 212 Market street, Wilmington, N. C. jul 25 tf

BEFORE YOU LEAVE the Beach see Uncle Charley for a good leather grip or trunk. Prices reasonable, 108 Market street. aug 17 tf

REWARD

North Carolina, Columbus County.
Tabor, N. C., Aug. 31st, 1909.

Thirty of the citizens of the town of Tabor have obligated and subscribed $300.00, the faithful payment of which they have bound themselves; and hereby offer the same, as a reward for the apprehension and conviction of the party, or parties, who fired, or caused to be fired, the Drug Store of Dr. L. Baggett, at Tabor, N. C., on Tuesday night of August the 24th, 1909.

The obligations and subscriptions of each citizen is deposited in Bank of Tabor. D. M. HARRELSON. se 1-1w.

NEW MULLETS

9,785 Pounds Large Mullets.

5,680 Pounds Small Mullets.

26,100 Pounds Medium Mullets.

475 Bushels N. C. R. P. Oats.

28 Bushels Seed Rye.

54 Bags Japan Rice.

76 Bags Fancy Head Rice.

39 Bags Broken Rice.

21 Barrels Pecan Molasses.

49 Barrels Fancy Molasses.

87 Barrels Sugar Home Molasses.

W. B. COOPER

Jobber and Importer.
WILMINGTON, N. C.
aug 29-tf

Reunion of Survivors of the Battle of Fort Fisher AT UTICA, N. Y. September 7th-9th

For the above occasion the Atlantic Coast Line will, on Sunday, September 5th, sell excursion tickets to Utica, N. Y., at rates given below, with return limit to reach destination on or before midnight of September 22, 1909.

From	1	2	3
Bowden	$23.80	$26.50	$25.15
Burgaw	24.75	27.45	26.10
Castle Haynes	25.10	27.80	26.45
Calypso	23.60	26.30	24.95
Cerro Gordo	27.15	29.85	28.50
Chadbourn	26.45	29.15	27.80
Clinton	24.25	26.95	25.60
Dudley	23.40	26.10	24.75
Fayetteville	24.40	27.10	25.75
Fair Bluff	27.00	29.70	28.35
Faison	23.70	26.40	25.05
Garland	25.30	28.00	26.65
Goldsboro	23.20	25.90	24.55
Kerr	25.55	28.25	26.90
Magnolia	24.10	26.80	25.45
Mt. Olive	23.55	26.25	24.90
Maxton	25.25	27.95	26.60
Pembroke	25.05	27.95	26.60
Red Springs	25.05	27.75	26.40
Rose Hill	24.25	26.95	25.60
Rocky Point	24.95	27.65	26.30
Teachey	24.35	27.05	25.70
Wallace	24.40	27.10	25.75
Watha	24.55	27.25	25.90
Warsaw	23.90	26.60	25.25
Wilmington	25.25	27.95	26.60
Willard	24.50	27.20	25.85
Whiteville	26.40	29.10	27.75

ROUTES.

Fares quoted in Column 1, apply via A. C. L. to Richmond, R. F. & P. & W. S. to Washington, P.R.R. to Manunka Chunk, D.L. & W. to Utica; or via A.C.L. to Richmond, R.F. & P. & W.S. to Washington, B. & O. to Philadelphia, P. & R. to Bethlehem, C. of N. J. to Scranton, D. L. & W. to Utica.

Fares quoted in Column 2, apply via A.C.L. to Richmond, R.F. & P. & W.S. to Washington, P.R.R. to Jersey City, West Shore to Utica; or via A.C.L. to Richmond, R.F. & P. & W.S. to Washington, P.R.R. to New York, N.Y.C. & H.R. to Utica.

Fares quoted herein, in Column 3, apply via either one of the routes authorized in Column 1, on going trip, and via either one of the routes authorized in Column 2, on return trip, or vice versa.

Stop-overs will be allowed at New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Richmond, either going or returning, or both, (not to exceed final limit).

SPECIAL SLEEPING CARS will leave Wilmington at 7:00 P. M., September 5th and run through to Utica to accommodate the veterans, their families and friends and others desiring to avail themselves of this high-class but low rate excursion and will be personally conducted by Rev. J. A. Smith, Vice-President of the Confederate Veterans' Association. Connections will be made with these through sleepers at Rocky Mount for the accommodation of those coming up from and via Maxton, Fayetteville, Pembroke and from other points in the State.

Sleeping car space should be reserved at the earliest possible moment, and one of the routes shown above, specified.

Further particulars, reservations, tickets, etc., can be obtained of ticket agents of the Atlantic Coast Line or by address T. C. White, General Passenger Agent; W. J. Craig, Passenger Traffic Manager, Wilmington, N. C. aug 29 1w

A Check Book

—one of our neat pocket forms—is yours for the asking, and we do not care how small the deposit.

Start a checking account in this bank and use it for personal expenses.

Avoid the trouble of taking receipts, and begin now—clerk, stenographer, business man—to systematize your business affairs.

The Southern National Bank

se 4 tf

Season's Opening

Crystal Palace

LABOR DAY

Giant Vaudeville Bill.

Performances 3:30—4:30—8:30 and 9:30 P. M.

AT SAME OLD TINY PRICES.

se 1 tf

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME DAILY.

BIJOU

NEVER OUT! NEVER OVER!

5 Cents.

The cost of getting a new boarder is not often greater than the cost of one insertion of a Business Local. Sometimes two or three insertions are need-

4%

se 3 tf

Fall Goods

Arriving Daily!

Men's and young men's neat salt and pepper effects, olives and a big assortment of black thibets and worsteds. Also some entirely new shades. Inspect our line before placing your order for Fall.

We have a good lot of light and medium weights to be closed out real cheap.

New line of neckwear and gents' furnishings. Try one of our new ties (rainbow colors).

J. W. H. FUCHS

123 to 134 S. Front St.

Sole Agent Holeproof Socks and Stockings.

se 3 tf

A Change of Weather Means a Change of Clothing and Hats

Our stock of Fall Hats is now complete. For style and shapes we lead. The celebrated line of Strause & Bros.' & B. Kuppenheimer suits in modern colors and style and a try-on will convince you.

Take a look at our Fall Hats; in Dunlaps, John B. Stetson and Nox-All, the leading and up-to-date makers of the country. Give us a call just to show you through our line.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.

One Price Clothiers and Furnishers
Masonic Temple. Phone 617.

se 4 tf

The "Baby-Waker" Sale

is still going. Large crowds and liberal buying are the features. The low prices published in the large advertisements are still holding good.

New arrivals of rugs, pictures, imported dinner sets, tables, hampers, clothes baskets and several other articles have been added this week. Positively no such values ever seen in Wilmington. Call and inspect them if you wish to buy or not. We are pleased to show goods and invite comparison. This sale, as all our sales, is bona fide. No bluff, no hot air. Unequaled values our motto.

The Wilmington Furniture Co.

Wilmington, N. C.

aug 31 tf